Weather
Fine and cold. The maximum temperature yesterday was 38.8 and the minimum 32.4, the figures for the corresponding day last year being 39.4 and 39.2.

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The Mail Box
MAILS for U. S. and Europe, Str. Pres. Jackson, today. Ord. and reg. 6 p.m.
FOR Europe via Suez, Str. Sicilia, 8.30 a.m. Tuesday.
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ALL AMERICANS CAPTURED BY BANDITS HAVE BEEN SET FREE

Release Of Missionary's Child Ends Serious Episode

AUCTIONED OFF

Forsberg And Lundeen Tell Thrilling Stories Of Experiences

(Chung Mei Service)

Peking, Dec. 13.—Mr. Borg Breen of the United Lutheran Church who has been a prisoner of the Honan bandits for nearly one month, has been released and reached Hankow this morning. With Mr. Breen came his five year old son who was taken away at the same time.

With the release of Mr. Breen all of the American captives are free. This is felt to be the result of the direct pressure applied on General Wu Pei-fu. So long as protests were made merely to the Peking Government, nothing was done by Wu and the other militarists of Honan. However, when he was singled out as the man immediately responsible, he saw a tremendous loss of face looming up unless he took action.

Peking, Dec. 13.—General Chin Yung-ao in a telegram to the Ministry of War tells how he has secured the release of the foreign missionaries in Honan. He says: "Owing to the gravity of the diplomatic question involved, officials and troops have been despatched to the bandit dens with a view to effecting the release of the foreign captives. During the past two days one Swedish and one American (Forsberg and Lundeen) have been rescued and brought safely to Hankow. As to the remaining prisoners, drastic measures are being taken to release them and it is believed that all of them will be free by the time you receive this wire. I have sent a similar report to Marshal Tsao Kun, General Wu Pei-fu, General Hsiao Yao-nan and General Chang Fu-lai, explaining conditions to them. In submitting this report, I trust that you will refer it to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs for their information."

AUCTION CAPTIVES

(Independent News Service)

Hankow, Dec. 11.—Rev. A. M. Lundeen, an American missionary of the Augustana Synod Mission in Honan, who was captured by bandits on the morning of October 13 during a sudden raid made on the city of Juchow by a robber band under the command of Lao Yang-jen, the Bandit Chief of Honan, has just been set free by Honan bandits, following close on the release of Rev. C. O. Forsberg of the same Mission.

The government troops at Chengchow are now exerting efforts to bring the foreign captives out of the bandits' camps between Kiahsien and Paofeng one at a time under military escort.

This is probably due to the fact that robbers are putting up foreign hostages for auction, releasing them one at a time when a satisfactory bid is made by army officers of General Chin Yun-ao. In this way the bandits are trying to make the most out of their foreign captives and can get larger squeezes than by releasing them en bloc.

It is not true, however, that the bandits made a selection of the foreigners they captured, for they took all who came in their way, and would have made a much bigger haul had not so many cleared out in time!

FORSBERG TELLS STORY

Mr. C. O. Forsberg, of the American Augustana Mission who was the first foreigner released by the bandits, and also the first to arrive in Hankow, in giving an account of his experiences with the outlaws, said that the release came in a much unexpected way.

After his party of foreigners had been in camp a fortnight, there was a talk that Wu Pei-fu had ordered them to be rescued and that troops had been sent to surround the hills. One battle was reported as having taken place near Juchow in which the bandits had gained a great victory on the 3rd instant. Then an officer on the staff of General Chin Yun-ao, turned up in the

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Prince George Becomes King Of Greece

King George of Greece

CROWN Prince George has become King of Greece, following the abdication of his father, King Constantine. Should he refuse to reign, Prince Christopher, husband of the former Mrs. William B. Leeds, now Princess Anastasia, may be offered the crown.

CIRCULATE FILM OF GOLDENBERG TO ALL THEATERS

Mr. Ramos Spreads Announcement Of Reward For Murderers

In order to assist further in the search for the murderer or murderers of Mr. Bernard Goldenberg, who was clubbed to death in his rooms at the Victoria Theater three weeks ago, Mr. A. Ramos, of the Ramos Amusement Company, has purchased the film showing Mr. Goldenberg in life and will distribute it to the various motion picture theaters in this city, both foreign and Chinese.

Mr. Ramos has had inserted into the titles of the film, in Chinese and English, the particulars regarding the Municipal Council's offer of a $3,000 reward for information leading to the apprehension of the criminal or criminals and hopes that a wider circulation of the film may bring results. He is distributing the film without charge to the various theaters in Shanghai.

Would Regulate Employment Of Women And Girls

(China Press Service)

Washington, Dec. 15.—Senator Henry Cabot Lodge of Massachusetts today introduced a resolution in the Senate proposing a Constitutional amendment giving Congress the power to regulate the employment of women and children under 18 years of age.

Says World Must Stop Building Ships

(Reuter's Service)

Washington, Dec. 14.—Mr. Kelley (Republican), who prepared the report of the Appropriations Committee on the annual Naval Bill, speaking in the House of Representatives today in support of the bill, declared that the Committee had fixed the gross amount of the appropriations as high as $331,000,000. Mr. Kelley said that the world must stop building 10,000-ton warships if it was to enjoy the fruits of the last conference.

DEPUTIES JAILED

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, Dec. 14.—The Communist Deputies, MM. Vaillant Couturier and Marcel Cachin, and the journalist, M. Peri, have been sentenced by the Correctional Court to six months' imprisonment in default on the charge of inciting troops to disobey orders in newspaper articles.

F. C. Tong Given Jail Term For Three Years; Notice Of Appeal Made

Chinese District Court Finds Accused Guilty Of Obtaining $5,000 From Girl Suicide Under False Pretences

Three years' imprisonment was the sentence handed down Thursday in the Nantao District Court in the case against F. C. Tong, charged with obtaining $5,000 under false pretences from Miss Zih Zang-tseng, his mailing clerk who committed suicide in his office three months ago. The prisoner has given notice of appeal.

Tong was originally also charged by the mother of the deceased with having been the cause of the death of the girl, but the procurate held that there was not sufficient evidence to warrant the formal framing of the charge.

Sections of the membership of the Cantonese Guild and the Street Unions last Sunday protested against the alleged prejudice of the Court in the handling of the case, but the protest is not endorsed by the entire membership of either organisation. On the other hand, a large number of other societies, headed by the Tungshan Guild, of which the family of the deceased is a member, is supporting the action of the Court which has found Tong guilty.

The case will now go before the Provincial High Court while the prisoner will be held without bail pending the decision of the high tribunal. If the Upper Court sustains the sentence, an appeal probably will be made to the Supreme Court in Peking, whose decision is generally regarded as final.

JAP POLICE AT TSINGTAU NOT TO STAY

Chinese Have Situation Well In Hand—Rendition Continues

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Dec. 15.—It is announced that the Police and Water Police Administrations of Tsingtau were handed over to the Chinese on December 10, while the Harbor Administration was also nominally handed over that day. Its transfer will be completed on December 18. The arms and some ammunition required for the Chinese police at Tsingtau having been delivered to the police authorities by the Japanese on December 12 and the Chinese having intimated that they are now prepared to undertake their task unaided, the order under which the Japanese troops remained in Tsingtau has been cancelled as from December 15. Their withdrawal is expected forthwith.

The Japanese Legation states that the rumor that some minor Japanese officials at Tsingtau are concerned in the bandit activities there is utterly groundless.

Peking, Dec. 15.—A mandate issued today appoints Mr. Liu En-yuan Associate Director of the Opening of Tsingtau as a Commercial Port.

(Eastern News Agency)

Tokio, December 15.—The Foreign Office announces today as follows:—"Normal conditions having been recovered round Tsingtau, and the arms for policing the district which Japan had undertaken to furnish having been duly delivered on December 13 the Japanese Government has decided to abolish the military headquarters at Tsingtau on December 15, withdrawing all the Japanese troops including gendarmes by that date."

C.P.S. Official In Yokohama Slain By Ex-Employe

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, Dec 14.—Mr. William Pepper, aged 58, employed by the Canadian Pacific Steamship Company in Yokohama, was stabbed and killed this morning by Shosaburo Sano, aged 26.

Mr. Pepper was on the way to his office along the Bluff Road when he was attacked by Sano, who stabbed him in the neck with a knife, severing the carotid artery. After seeing his victim die, Sano proceeded to the police station where he gave himself up and confessed.

The police refuse to give out the murderers confession of the reason for the crime but it is believed that it was because Mr. Pepper discharged him.

Mr. Pepper was British and an old resident in Japan. He was captain of a C. P. S. tug. His wife is Japanese.

ASSASSIN SUICIDES

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, Dec. 15.—Shosaburo Sano, the assassin of Mr. William Pepper died this morning in hospital. It appears that he drank rat poison immediately after the murder and then ran to the police station. He was taken to hospital but his case was hopeless.

ASKS FAMINE FUND

(Reuter's Service)

Washington, Dec. 14.—Mr. Newton (Republican) introduced a motion into the House of Representatives today for the appropriation of $70,000,000 to relieve famine conditions in Austria and Germany.

SZE OFFICIATES AT SOD TURNING CEREMONY TODAY

Program At Site Of New Foreign Bureau This Morning

Dr. Sao Ke Alfred Sze, Chinese Minister to Washington, will turn the first sod at the new site of the Bureau of Foreign Affairs on the corner of Route Ghisi and Shao Chia Pang this morning at 10:45 o'clock. A temporary shed will be erected on the site. Speeches are to be delivered by Special Commissioner Hsu Yuan and Dr. Sze.

A large number of local officials and members of the Consular Body have been invited to attend. The new buildings for the Bureau are expected to be completed in a year when the lease for the present Bureau buildings expires.

Dr. Sze entertained a number of his personal friends at dinner last night. He and Madame Sze are planning to leave here for Tientsin tomorrow by the night train.

Farmers' Head Makes Attack On Rockefeller

(China Press Service)

Spokane, Wash. Dec. 15.—Mr. Charles S. Barrett, president of the National Farmers Association, in a speech here today charged that John D. Rockefeller had financed the Farm Bureau movement, and that the Chicago Board of Trade had financed the United Grain Growers' Association.

General Wood To Stay In Islands; Quits University

(China Press Service)

Washington—The war Department has announced that General Leonard wood has resigned as provost of the University of the Philippines in order to comply with the express wish of President Harding that he remain as Governor-General of the Philippines.

Thieves Steal $100 At Public Library

Mrs. H. Allen, librarian of the Public Library, reported to the police yesterday that sometime between 8 p.m. on December 13 and 6:20 a.m. on December 14 someone had forced open two desks in the Library and stolen approximately $100. The thieves evidently concealed themselves in a coalroom until after everyone had left the building.

DOG BITES GIRL

Mr. J. Cohen of 209 Miller Road reported to police yesterday that his sister, Miss M. Cohen, 7 years old, had been bitten on the right knee by a dog said to belong to Mr. Jacob Isaacs, 201 Miller Road, while she was playing on Miller Road. The girl was treated at the Health Office and the dog sent to the Observation Kennels.

Sure Amundsen Will Fly Across Pole

Capt. C.S. Cochran Crew of the "Bear."

CAPTAIN C. S. Cochran has brought the United States coastguard cutter Bear into Seattle, Wash., after a 23,000-mile voyage in the Arctic ice fields, where he met Captain Roald Amundsen, the explorer. Though this Winter's ice is the worst in twenty years, Amundsen expressed the utmost confidence in his ability to fly across the North Pole.

BRITISH ENVOY'S FIRMNESS BRINGS TURKS INTO LINE

Child, U. S. Minister, Also Factor In Forcing Surrender

(Reuter's Service)

London, Dec. 14.—Earl Curzon's [illegible] supported by [illegible] today triumphed at Lausanne, Ismet Pasha conceding all the points the Allies demanded except as regards the provision of a national home for the Armenians.

Lausanne, Dec. 14.—Turkey has accepted the Allied proposals with regard to minorities on the same basis as the treaties affecting the neighboring States.

This morning's meeting of the Minorities Sub-Commission was satisfactory as a result of Earl Curzon's strong attitude. The Turks completely altered their standpoint and definitely promised to join the League of Nations.

Earl Curzon expressed the pleasure of the chief delegates and then left the Sub-Commission to continue their work.

At the conclusion of the sitting of the Minorities Commission yesterday evening there were very active efforts to prevent a rupture. Much coming and going of the British, French and Italian delegates went on till past midnight.

Perhaps the most important intervention was that of the American representative, Mr. Child, who had a long conversation with Ismet Pasha, whom he strongly advised to be more conciliatory.

Ismet Pasha was very reticent and non-committal but the efficacy of Mr. Child's arguments in settling the minorities question is proved by the Turkish promise today.

A communique issued after the meeting of the Minorities Sub-Commission today states that Earl Curzon noted with satisfaction Ismet Pasha's speech, notably his declaration of Turkey's intention to join the League of Nations. M. Barrere and Marquis Garroni spoke in a similar strain, after which the Sub-Commission began their labors.

London, Dec. 14.—Turkey's decision to join the League of Nations after the conclusion of peace has eased the tension at Lausanne and is expected to shorten the duration of the conference and to facilitate a complete understanding as, when a deadlock should be reached on any question, it would probably be referred to the League, in the same way as the question of racial minorities.

Turkey must still apply for admission to the League, which can only be granted by the Assembly. It is probable that a special session will be summoned as the Assembly does not meet before September.

MORGAN SEES HARDING

(Reuter's Service)

New York, Dec. 15.—It is not expected that the visit of Mr. Pierpont Morgan to Washington where he interviewed President Harding revived the talk of the President's intentions of taking a hand in the reparations question.

Visiting Ball Players Are Guests At Dinner Here

By Westa

The big league baseball players who are now touring the East were entertained at dinner last night at the American club. Joe Eichwald was toast master. The Silas brothers did their stuff. [illegible] sang a song or two. Aaron Glemby, unlimbered those flexible legs of his. Doc Downs made a speech. Buch O'Neill, of the visitors, waved the American flag. Doc Lavan, short stopper for the St. Louis Cardinals, made a nifty little talk. Bernard Ledell told a lot of funny stories. George Baldwin, of the Far East Players gave some fine recitations. Herbert Hunter told us how glad the big leaguers were to get to Shanghai and a [illegible] of thing. J. [illegible] made everybody feel at home with his introductory remarks. Herbert Hunter said a few mouthfuls which nobody understood, seeing that Herbert is hoarse from a cold and Fred McIntyre, president of the Shanghai Amateur Baseball club, made a few appropriate remarks.

And after the others had finished who should climb up on a chair in that strictly American gathering and knock them all absolutely dead but our old British friend Graham-Barrow?

Yeah, none other than our old friend "G. B." This bird got up on a chair and made all kinds of fun of us, and the deeper he dug into us the more we liked it. He told us we were a lot of bally asses, whereupon we roared with approval, and fell off our chairs with laughter, and all that sort of thing, and strange as it may seem the big leaguers were the most convulsed of all.

The nerve of that British guy, making fun of us Americans in that atrocious manner!

To the visiting ball players this Graham-Barrow person was a revelation. George Kelly, the Giants' first baseman, who in addition to being the best first sacker in captivity is as solemn as as an owl when he is in civilian's clothes, was actually gasping for breath before "G. B." was fairly started, and as for Casel Stengel, he passed out while "G. B." was adjusting his mobocle.

Taken all in all it was a fine dinner, and a good time was had by all. The visiting big leaguers, who, after all, are only human like the rest of us, were made to feel really at home. And being among their own kind they really did feel that way.

Joe Bush, the big pitcher, said "By George, this certainly is great—just like home!"

And after all, if those of us who are marooned out here in Shanghai can make these boys feel at home, what more can we ask?

We should worry about Graham-Barrow's jibes at us! eh, what?

CUNARD LINER DUE IN SHANGHAI ON JANUARY 13

American Express Round-World Party Soon To Arrive Here

In order to make preparation for the reception in China of the world tourists who are circling the globe on the Cunard liner Laconia, Mr. R. S. Cauvin, manager of the Far Eastern travel department of the American Express Company, is leaving Shanghai tomorrow for Yokohama to meet the Orient-bound ship.

The Laconia, carrying between 450 and 500 passengers, is due in Yokohama December 28. She will spend six days in that port and will then proceed to Kobe for four days, after which she goes to Dairen and Tsingtau and then comes to Shanghai, arriving here on January 13. The big liner will spend only one day in Shanghai and will then go to Taiwan for a day, thence to Hongkong and Manila, then to Singapore, Java ports, Burmah, India and will touch at other points on the way through Suez and the Mediterranean on her way back to New York.

The Laconia left New York on November 21, sailing through the Panama Canal after visiting Havana, and touched at San Francisco, Honolulu and Hilo. It is the first passenger liner to completely circle the globe on one cruise and is touchng at more ports than have ever been visited on any one travel trip.

300 Voices To Sing At Xmas Concert In Town Hall, Dec. 20

Three hundred trained voices will participate in the Community Christmas Festival Concerts to be held at the Town Hall on December 20 at 4:30 p.m. and December 21 at 8:30 p.m. The singing will be accompanied by the Municipal Orchestra and will be under the direction of Mr. E. J. Anderson of the Shanghai College.

Tickets will be on sale at the Chinese Y. M. C. A. and at Moutrie's. The rehearsals for the concert are being held in the Y. M. C. A. every other day.

Harvey Returning To U. S.—Wife Ill

(Reuter's Service)

Washington, Dec. 15.—Colonel George B. M. Harvey, the American Ambassador in London, is returning to the United States shortly on account of the illness of his wife but he is expected to confer with President Harding, Mr. Hughes, the Secretary of State, and Mr. Andrew Mellon, the Secretary of the Treasury, with regard to America's relations with Britain and Europe.

COLTMAN, SHOT BY GUARDS AT KALGAN, DIES OF INJURIES

Sentries Fired On American Merchant Without Cause

U.S. PROTESTS

Murder May Result In Further Diplomatic Negotiations

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Dec. 15.—Mr. Charles Coltman who was shot by a Chinese sentry while driving out in a motorcar from the gate of Kalgan on December 11, died at seven this morning.

(China Press Service)

Washington, Dec. 15.—It was announced by the State Department today that Dr. Jacob Gould Schurman, American Minister to Peking, had made representations to the Chinese Government in connection with the shooting of Charles Coltman.

The action referred to in the telegram above was taken before Mr. Coltman's death from his wounds. Further action will probably be taken when his death is made known to Washington.

Mr. Coltman was shot by sentries at Kalgan while in an automobile with Mr. S. Sokobin, the American Consul at Kalgan, while en route to Urga with $10,000 to purchase goods.

The two Americans were held up at the gates when leaving the city because of the large amount of specie they carried and visited the Foreign Commissioner to secure permission to leave. As they re-entered the car and started off four of the soldiers opened fire, wounding Mr. Coltman and narrowly missing Mr. Sokobin. Mr. Coltman was rushed to Peking by a special train and an operation performed, but the wound was of a fatal nature. If he had lived it is said he would have been permanently paralysed.

Mr. Coltman was the son of Dr. Robert Coltman, manager of the Standard Oil Company, who is now on home leave. He landed in Marseilles the day his son was shot.

Mr. Sokobin was formerly Vice-Consul in the local Consulate-General.

Russian Delegate Accuses British Of 'Agitating' In East

(Reuter's Service)

Riga, Dec. 14.—A report from Moscow states that M. Litvinoff, the chief Russian delegate to the Moscow Disarmament Conference, in a statement to journalists, complained of its breakdown. He declared that Russia was not guaranteed against Japanese aggression or British intrigue, and charged the latter with fomenting anti-Russian agitation in the Far East and not grudging gold for the purpose. The Disarmament Conference broke down through the attitude of the Border Delegations at the outset.

Oil Export Duty To Be Abolished

(Reuter's Service)

The Hague, Dec. 14.—In a memorandum replying to the Second Chamber report on the Dutch East Indies, the Colonial Minister states that the oil export duty will be definitely abolished on December 31 and that any duty subsequently paid will be refunded after the abolition has been ratified by legislation. The Minister disputes the contention that capital invested in oil is disproportionately taxed. He refuses to admit that his financial policy is likely to lead to a flight or abstention of foreign capital from the Dutch Colonies.

NEW PORT OF CALL

(Reuter's Service)

London, Dec. 14.—Beginning with the steamer, City of Simla, early in the New Year, all Ellerman liners will call at Southampton on their way out from the Continent to the Far East.

YEAR IN PRISON FOR LETT SEAMAN WHO FIRED SHOTS

Mixed Court Sentences Man For Attempt To Kill

Charged with attempt to kill one Jack Cilin, with carrying firearms and with being drunk and disorderly, Alfred J. Purin, an unemployed Lettish seaman was sentenced to one year's imprisonment and subsequent deportation from Shanghai by Assessor Ivanoff and Magistrate Tsang at the Mixed Court yesterday. Peter Grawa, also a Lett, who accompanied Purin to the boarding house at 59 Range Road where the shooting occurred Wednesday evening, was sentenced to three months' imprisonment and deportation.

Testimony of the police, Cilin and other witnesses showed that Purin and Grawa came into Cilin's room intoxicated and demanded drinks. When refused Purin drew a revolver, aimed it at Cilin and pulled the trigger. The weapon misfired. He was then pushed out of the room and fired a shot, the bullet crashing into the ceiling. Cilin directed one of the friends who were dining with him, R. Kull, to call the police. While Kull was outside Purin tried to get back into the room, the door of which had been locked, and threatened to shoot again. As the door remained locked he fired again, the bullet passing through the door and striking a mirror. Purin and Grawa then left the house and were met by two Chinese police constables and a Sikh constable and were arrested. Purin threw the revolver away but it was recovered.

The complaining witness stated that a third man, one Pakonie, a Russian, was with the two when they came into the house, but fled when the first shot was fired. Kull stated that when he returned with the police Purin ordered him to say that Cilin had fired the shots and that Grawa told him that unless he did this he would be killed "like a dog."

Purin testified that he was 30 years old and had been out of employment. He had stowed away on a German boat meaning to land in Singapore, but had been found and sent back to Shanghai, arriving three or four days before the trouble. He had been drunk, he said, and did not know what he was doing. Grawa admitted accompanying Purin to the house and also pleaded that he was drunk and did not know what he was doing.

Vladivostok New Economic Center Of F. E. Republic

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Vladivostok, Dec. 15.—Although Chita remains the political center of the Far Eastern Province Vladivostok is becoming the economic center. Representatives of all Soviet economic organisations have arrived in Vladivostok.

The Government proposes to transform forests, mines and other natural resources into stock-holding companies, a proportion of the shares to be in the hands of the Government and the remainder to be put up for sale to private firms, thus replacing the concession system but old concessions will be recognised on the renewal of contracts and the payment of back debts.

The railroad tariffs and the customs dues are to be reduced.

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All Americans Captured By Bandits Have Been Set Free

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camp, and held a parley with the leaders which lasted a whole day.

After Mr. Forsberg and Mr. Lundeen had gone to bed at night, a robber came in and kicking the former in the ribs, ordered him to appear at once in the presence of bandit chiefs, and here Mr. Forsberg was handed over to Mr. Liang who told him to get ready to start for Hankow. He had just had time to say good-bye to Mr. Lundeen when he was bundled into a cart and driven night and day to Hsuchow. At first Mr. Forsberg was to be taken to Chengchow, but General Chin Yun-ao had come down to Hsuchow, and after a short interview during which he asked a few questions about the robbers, he was told to go home.

WU WAITS RELEASES

While at Hsuchow, Mr. Liang Kai-chun of General Chin Yun-ao's army told Mr. Forsberg that all foreigners were to be taken from the bandits, and that General Wu Pei-fu was determined to exterminate the bandits in Honan as soon as all foreigners are released.

At present Lao Yang-jen, the bandit Chief, an exofficer of Chao Chieh's army, is still controlling the bandit gangs in Honan. He claimed to have 20,000 men at his back, broken into separate bands under individual leaders who act in accordance with his orders.

The bandits are reported to have plenty of ammunition, and are very extravagant in the of use of it. Large numbers of them are now camped between Lushan and Juchow, although there has been a rumor that the robbers were attempting to shift northward and settle down in Manchuria.

Harbin May Be Made Special Administration

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Dec. 15.—It is reported that General Chang Tso-lin has recommended to the Government the opening of a special administrative area at Harbin and a similar district at Sualyuan with General Chu Ching-lan, former Tuchun of Heilungkiang, as Chief Administrator.

Bandits Active Near Macao

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Hongkong, Dec. 15.—A gang of several hundred armed robbers raided Chin Shan near Macao, and overpowered the Chinese garrison. The raiders carried off the soldiers' rifles and two machine-guns and kidnapped several citizens. There were many casualties.

Keller Withdraws From Impeachment

(Reuter's Service)

Washington, Dec. 14.—Mr. Keller today withdrew from the impeachment against Attorney-General Daugherty after the Judiciary Committee of the House of Representatives had refused to permit him to read a long statement.

The Committee has summoned Mr. Keller to appear to testify tomorrow.

VOLSTEAD DUBIOUS

(Reuter's Service)

Washington, Dec. 14.—Mr. Volstead, Chairman of the Judiciary Committee of the House of Representatives which is hearing the charges against the Attorney-General, Mr. Daugherty, today declared that, judging from the character of the evidence already adduced, he did not believe that it would be possible to secure an impeachment.

Proposes Rebate On Export Freights

(Reuter's Service)

Washington, Dec. 14.—Senator Brookhart (Republican) today proposed an amendment to the Ship Subsidy Bill granting a subsidy to American industrial and agricultural producers. He favored a 10 percent rebate on freight charges on products for export from points of origin if shipped on Government-aided vessels.

Harding Opens Red Cross Meeting

(China Press Service)

Washington, Dec. 15.—President Harding opened the meeting of the general board of the American Red Cross today with an address in which he gave the highest praise to the organisation.

"The Red Cross has done some fine work and will be called upon to do some more," the president said significantly.

French To Close Postoffices Dec. 31

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking Dec. 15.—The French Minister notified the Waichiaopu this morning that the French postal agencies will be officially closed on December 31 but in view of the fact that French mails en route to China will not arrive until later some of the personnel will be retained merely for distribution and the winding up of details which cannot be completed before the end of the year. It is understood that this meets with the approval of the Chinese authorities.

Music Prospects

Music lovers are to be singularly favored within the next few days here. On Sunday the Municipal Orchestra is giving a program at the Town Hall in which the works of Mozart, Beethoven and Wagner will be interpreted under the baton of Maestro Paci. On Monday evening Michel Piastro, violinist who has appeared previously in Shanghai and has since scored a notable success in the West, will give a fine program, also at the Town Hall. On Tuesday evening there will be a repeat performance of the Sunday concert at the Town Hall, with Miss B. Jouravel as soloist.

ARREST PIRATES

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, Dec. 15.—Two leaders and some fifty others have been arrested in connection with the piracy by the Japanese steamer, Taiki Maru.

NEW PRESIDENT

Berne, Dec. 14.—M. Scheurer, a member of the Federal Council, has been designated President of the Confederation for 1923.

Bandman Players Open Tonight In "Tons Of Money"

Bandman's New English Farcical Company will present "Tons of Money," the present rage of London, as their opening performance at the Olympic Theater tonight.

Bandman's are well known to Far Eastern playgoers and in the past that name has stood for some of the best theatrical performances seen in Shanghai. In "Tons of Money" they have chosen a play in which all members of the company are to be seen to the best advantage. "Tons of Money" will also be repeated on Sunday night. On Monday evening "French Leave," a three-act light comedy, just recently at the Globe Theater, London, will be produced. Bookings at Moutrie's.

Order Complainant Arrested When He Fails To Prosecute

A warrant for the arrest of a complainant in a case on charges of malicious prosecution was ordered to issue yesterday by Assessor Blackburn and Magistrate Kwan after the man in question and his attorney had failed to appear to prosecute two defendants.

The defendants, two brokers, Chan Zai-tsang and Hong Kia-mei, had been accused of illegal arrest and detention, fraud and threats by one Zi Sih-ling. Mr. P. W. Goldring represented the complainant and the Court ordered that the Registrar request him to make a report on his connection with the case and on his reason for his own and his client's absence.

Dairyman Fined $100 For Adulterating Milk

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Poisoned Candy Sent To Official

(Reuter's Service)

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It is believed that both crimes are the work of the same lunatic woman.

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(Reuter's Pacific Service)

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Resume Fighting In Fukien

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

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WARREN LEAVES

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Dec. 15.—Mr. Charles Beecher Warren, the American Ambassador to Japan, left for Tokio this morning.

Brokers Blamed For Fall Of Franc

(Reuter's Service)

Antwerp, Dec. 13.—Four exchange brokers in Antwerp and one in Brussels have been arrested in connection with exchange speculation to which the fall of the Belgian franc is attributed.

NOT ALARMED

(Reuter's Service)

London, Dec. 14.—A Home Office statement does not attach importance to the sweets sent to the Home Secretary, which, it says, are not chocolated. The statement declares that the circumstances preclude the possibility of any attempt being intended on Mr. Bridgeman's life.

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Result of Drawing

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1 of $15,789	- 4,807	Cumulative Progressive Reimbursement Drawn by Chinese Bondholder—Shanghai—1/2 ,, ,, ,, ,, —Kirin —1/4 ,, ,, ,, ,, —Paoying —1/4							equal to 15,789
15 ,, $2,000	- 2,706	3,731	4,707	5,838	7,406	10,110	14,368	16,288	
	17,796	17,986	18,855	24,530	24,609	25,755	26,648		,, 30,000
15 ,, $ 300	- 1,505	4,101	10,257	11,685	12,224	13,261	14,710	16,136	
	18,906	20,404	20,989	23,972	25,669	27,200	28,741		,, 4,500
15 ,, $ 200	- 107	1,401	4,266	5,097	5,113	5,345	15,167	16,643	
	20,915	23,470	25,704	26,537	26,555	29,032	31,177		,, 3,000
15 ,, $ 100	- 1,194	1,347	2,168	3,847	12,304	14,375	16,118	17,729	
	19,697	19,827	21,493	23,178	27,478	28,756	29,684		,, 1,500
1 ,, $1,579	- 5,803								,, 1,579
1 ,, $ 200	-26,119								,, 200
1 ,, $ 173	-20,174								,, 173
1 ,, $ 100	- 558								,, 100
3158 ,, $ 12	Terminating with No. 0								,, 37,896
3223	Reimbursements Totalling								$ 94,737

'FIRE-BOMBS' AT POLICE STATION CAUSE BLAZE

Innocent 'Lost Cargo' Explodes In West Hongkew Station

Three fire-bombs exploded in the compound of the West Hongkew police station Thursday night, revealing what is believed to be the operations of a gang of 'fire-fexes' in Shanghai which may lead to interesting developments.

Three infernal machines operated and timed by means of ingenious clock works mechanisms flared suddenly into blazing activity after having been carried into the station in the belief that they were innocent boxes of cargo that had been left in the road way by a forgetful owner.

Only the exceedingly prompt work of the staff of the Police Station led by Sergt. C. B. Henry, who was then on duty and who armed his helpers with chemical fire extinguishers, checked a spread of blazing flames carried by streams of burning kerosene that were released.

The three infernal machines, concealed in ordinary pine packing cases in dimensions about two and a half feet square, were found by a Chinese police constable on North Soochow Road near the Honan Road bridge about 8:30 o'clock in the evening and as they seemed to be ownerless or left there through mistake the constable sent them into the station, making at the same a routine report concerning the finding of the three boxes.

BOXES FORGOTTEN

The boxes were stored in front of the cells in the station compound and were forgotten until about 10:30 o'clock when the conflagration started, first from one of the boxes and shortly after from a second. As the fire mounted large quantities of burning oil gushed from the blazing mass spreading the flames in every direction.

Due to the work of those on duty at the station the damage done was confined to the burning of woodwork near the cells. Before the third box burst into flames it was removed to a point where it could be dealt with to the best advantage and it took an hour after the first fire developed before it started to burn.

Examination of the remains of the boxes yesterday disclosed they had been filled with cotton seed and oil soaked cotton. Each of the boxes also carried large jars of kerosine, the tops of which evidently had been sealed. These jars were made of a material like paper mache of a quality that when attacked by fire they would blaze quickly and release the stored oil.

THE MECHANISM

The mechanism by which the fires in the boxes were started was most ingenious. The clock works employed, fastened to small shelves on the insides of the boxes, were of the alarm clock type, of Japanese make, it was ascertained yesterday. With the alarm bell removed the clocks had been set to go off at a certain hour and the winding leaves on the back which revolves while the alarm is sounding had been removed from each of the mechanisms and in place of these levers, odd-shaped wheels, designed for the particular purpose, had been attached.

These wheels over their entire circumferences carried matches securely put in place in such fashion that when the wheels revolved as the alarm was released the heads of the matches were rubbed against strips of the ordinary phosphorous paper used on the sides of match boxes. Bunches of other matches were so placed that they would take fire and then ignite the cotton waste.

In the course of the investigation being made it was found yesterday that the three boxes had been brought to the place where they were found about half past 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon. An hour after that time two Chinese who seemed to be in possession of them appeared with three coolies pushing wheelbarrows.

LEFT ON ROAD

The boxes were loaded on to wheel barrows and were carried away only to be returned to the spot several hours later. According to reports made to the police the coolies wheeled the boxes to the Markham Road bridge along Soochow Road. There, the men directing the coolies encountered a hitch in their plans, for they told the coolies to take the boxes back to the original spot which was done.

The two that had directed operations then told the wheelbarrow coolies they would have to go and get the money needed to pay for the work and they disappeared and did not return. The coolies waited vainly several hours and then they too went away leaving the boxes where the police constable found them.

The police have not disclosed any theories in connection with the infernal machines and no arrests have yet been made.

Mrs. Harrison Is In Trouble Again

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Chita, Dec. 7.—Mrs. Margaret Harrison, an American journalist, arrived here recently. She had previously been in prison in Moscow and had written a book entitled "Marooned in Moscow". She came from Peking,—where the Soviet representative had given her a visa,—via Kalgan and Urga, reaching Chita about November 18.

After a few days here she was arrested by the Gos-Politokhran, the State Political Defence Department (actually the Counter-Espionage Department which functions much as the Cheka in Moscow). Orders for her arrest had come straight from Moscow and M. Kobazeff, chief of the Revolutionary Committee which functions here under Moscow, was unaware of the event and pointed out that he had no authority over the actions of the Gos-Politokhran.

Mrs. Harrison was sent to Moscow a few days later and is at present detained there.

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Make Report Of Work Of Ricsha Mission

A report on the splendid work done by the Ricsha Mission during the past year was made public yesterday when Mr. George Mathewson, founder and honorary director of the mission made his annual report for 1922. The report covers the activities of the mission from Christmas, 1921, when the Mission opened its house for three days and all coolies who came were given substantial Chinese food.

Large quantities of food were also distributed on Christmas Day at the street shelters, home, and on the roads, to those who could not come for it. Many hundreds of warm garments and suits of clothing were supplied to shivering men.

The generous Christmas fund may really be said to be one of the big factors in the maintenance of the work the report says, for not only is there a feeling of goodwill and confidence created at Christmas, but all through the year, while the money lasts, it enables the Mission to supply the additional food and clothing which add so much to the health and comfort of the men.

MEN IMPROVE

The report makes mention of the awakening of mentality and intelligent interest, followed by great improvement in character and conduct, of the men frequenting the Mission. Agitators have been at work among the coolies, instigating them to strikes, but every endeavor has been made to counteract these movements by convincing the men that their only hope of recognition and help must arise from good conduct and industry.

Since last January, the Mission, complying with a request from the police authorities, has given at all men's meetings in the halls and shelters instructions in police and traffic regulations.

Attendance during the year has been exceptionally large and men come from long distances to attend the meetings.

At the Mission premises, street shelters and homes, all sick men and those in need are attended to and helped with food, clothing and hospital aid. No ricsha man need suffer in Shanghai from lack of these while the Mission exists and while charitable people are ready to befriend the class for which it exists. Visits are regularly paid to the homes, stands, shelters and places where the ricsha men are to be found, and large quantities of suitable literature, including health and traffic leaflets, are distributed in the halls and outside.

SCHOOL POPULAR

It is interesting to note that work among women is also carried on throughout the year. Two day schools continue to be popular and most useful institutions, daily attendances, boys and girls, ranging from 18 to 20.

The accounts show receipts and assets amounting to $12,351, including $10,899 in donations. Relief in various forms accounted for $5,000, whilst $3,000 has been placed to the building fund and roughly $1,500 remains on bank deposit, the rest having been taken up by administration expenses, wages of the Chinese staff of 13, $1,649 for the whole year, being the largest item, followed by $703 for rent and taxes, the rest being inconsiderable.

The report contains some interesting statistics of distributions and work, namely: Distributed during the year: Meals, 99,150; special Christmas food parcels, 15,000; garments 3,050; sandals and stockings, 5,160; meetings in halls, 744; monthly attendance (average), 13,000; visits to stands, shelters and districts, 4,070; visits to homes of coolies, 4,400; weekly attendance at Sunday School (average), 800, number sleeping in halls, 12,600 (no blankets stolen); coolies known by Mission to be durnk, none.

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YEAR IN PRISON FOR LETT SEAMAN WHO FIRED SHOTS

Mixed Court Sentences Man For Attempt To Kill

Charged with attempt to kill one Jack Cilin, with carrying firearms and with being drunk and disorderly, Alfred J. Purin, an unemployed Lettish seaman was sentenced to one year's imprisonment and subsequent deportation from Shanghai by Assessor Ivanoff and Magistrate Tsang at the Mixed Court yesterday. Peter Grawa, also a Lett, who accompanied Purin to the boarding house at 59 Range Road where the shooting occurred Wednesday evening, was sentenced to three months' imprisonment and deportation.

Testimony of the police, Cilin and other witnesses showed that Purin and Grawa came into Cilin's room intoxicated and demanded drinks. When refused Purin drew a revolver, aimed it at Cilin and pulled the trigger. The weapon misfired. He was then pushed out of the room and fired a shot, the bullet crashing into the ceiling. Cilin directed one of the friends who were dining with him, R. Kull, to call the police. While Kull was outside Purin tried to get back into the room, the door of which had been locked, and threatened to shoot again. As the door remained locked he fired again, the bullet passing through the door and striking a mirror. Purin and Grawa then left the house and were met by two Chinese police constables and a Sikh constable and were arrested. Purin threw the revolver away but it was recovered.

The complaining witness stated that a third man, one Pakonie, a Russian, was with the two when they came into the house, but fled when the first shot was fired. Kull stated that when he returned with the police Purin ordered him to say that Cilin had fired the shots and that Grawa told him that unless he did this he would be killed "like a dog."

Purin testified that he was 30 years old and had been out of employment. He had stowed away on a German boat meaning to land in Singapore, but had been found and sent back to Shanghai, arriving three or four days before the trouble. He had been drunk, he said, and did not know what he was doing. Grawa admitted accompanying Purin to the house and also pleaded that he was drunk and did not know what he was doing.

Vladivostok New Economic Center Of F. E. Republic

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Vladivostok, Dec. 15.—Although Chita remains the political center of the Far Eastern Province Vladivostok is becoming the economic center. Representatives of all Soviet economic organisations have arrived in Vladivostok.

The Government proposes to transform forests, mines and other natural resources into stock-holding companies, a proportion of the shares to be in the hands of the Government and the remainder to be put up for sale to private firms, thus replacing the concession system but old concessions will be recognised on the renewal of contracts and the payment of back debts.

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All Americans Captured By Bandits Have Been Set Free

(Continued from Page 1)

camp, and held a parley with the leaders which lasted a whole day.

After Mr. Forsberg and Mr. Lundeen had gone to bed at night, a robber came in and kicking the former in the ribs, ordered him to appear at once in the presence of bandit chiefs, and here Mr. Forsberg was handed over to Mr. Liang who told him to get ready to start for Hankow. He had just had time to say good-bye to Mr. Lundeen when he was bundled into a cart and driven night and day to Hsuchow. At first Mr. Forsberg was to be taken to Chengchow, but General Chin Yun-ao had come down to Hsuchow, and after a short interview during which he asked a few questions about the robbers, he was told to go home.

WU WAITS RELEASES

While at Hsuchow, Mr. Liang Kai-chun of General Chin Yun-ao's army told Mr. Forsberg that all foreigners were to be taken from the bandits, and that General Wu Pei-fu was determined to exterminate the bandits in Honan as soon as all foreigners are released.

At present Lao Yang-jen, the bandit Chief, an exofficer of Chao Chieh's army, is still controlling the bandit gangs in Honan. He claimed to have 20,000 men at his back, broken into separate bands under individual leaders who act in accordance with his orders.

The bandits are reported to have plenty of ammunition, and are very extravagant in the of use of it. Large numbers of them are now camped between Lushan and Juchow, although there has been a rumor that the robbers were attempting to shift northward and settle down in Manchuria.

Harbin May Be Made Special Administration

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Dec. 15.—It is reported that General Chang Tso-lin has recommended to the Government the opening of a special administrative area at Harbin and a similar district at Suaiyuan with General Chu Ching-lan, former Tuchun of Heilungkiang, as Chief Administrator.

Bandits Active Near Macao

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Hongkong, Dec. 15.—A gang of several hundred armed robbers raided Chin Shan near Macao, and overpowered the Chinese garrison. The raiders carried off the soldiers' rifles and two machine-guns and kidnapped several citizens. There were many casualties.

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Keller Withdraws From Impeachment

(Reuter's Service)

Washington, Dec. 14.—Mr. Keller today withdrew from the impeachment against Attorney-General Daugherty after the Judiciary Committee of the House of Representatives had refused to permit him to read a long statement.

The Committee has summoned Mr. Keller to appear to testify tomorrow.

VOLSTEAD DUBIOUS

(Reuter's Service)

Washington, Dec. 14.—Mr. Volstead, Chairman of the Judiciary Committee of the House of Representatives which is hearing the charges against the Attorney-General, Mr. Daugherty, today declared that, judging from the character of the evidence already adduced, he did not believe that it would be possible to secure an impeachment.

Proposes Rebate On Export Freights

(Reuter's Service)

Washington, Dec. 14.—Senator Brookhart (Republican) today proposed an amendment to the Ship Subsidy Bill granting a subsidy to American industrial and agricultural producers. He favored a 10 percent rebate on freight charges on products for export from points of origin if shipped on Government-aided vessels.

Harding Opens Red Cross Meeting

(China Press Service)

Washington, Dec. 15.—President Harding opened the meeting of the general board of the American Red Cross today with an address in which he gave the highest praise to the organisation.

"The Red Cross has done some fine work and will be called upon to do some more," the president said significantly.

French To Close Postoffices Dec. 31

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking Dec. 15.—The French Minister notified the Waichiaopu this morning that the French postal agencies will be officially closed on December 31 but in view of the fact that French mails en route to China will not arrive until later some of the personnel will be retained merely for distribution and the winding up of details which cannot be completed before the end of the year. It is understood that this meets with the approval of the Chinese authorities.

Music Prospects

Music lovers are to be singularly favored within the next few days here. On Sunday the Municipal Orchestra is giving a program at the Town Hall in which the works of Mozart, Beethoven and Wagner will be interpreted under the baton of Maestro Paci. On Monday evening Michel Piastro, violinist who has appeared previously in Shanghai and has since scored a notable success in the West, will give a fine program, also at the Town Hall. On Tuesday evening there will be a repeat performance of the Sunday concert at the Town Hall, with Miss B. Jouravel as soloist.

ARREST PIRATES

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, Dec. 15.—Two leaders and some fifty others have been arrested in connection with the piracy by the Japanese steamer, Taiki Maru.

NEW PRESIDENT

Berne, Dec. 14.—M. Scheurer, a member of the Federal Council, has been designated President of the Confederation for 1923.

Bandman Players Open Tonight In "Tons Of Money"

Bandman's New English Farcical Company will present "Tons of Money," the present rage of London, as their opening performance at the Olympic Theater tonight.

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Peking, Dec. 15.—It is reported from Fukien that General Chang Ching-lu's troops from Chuangchow and General Tsang Ching's forces from Amoy clashed at Tunganhsien on December 11. Hostilities are expected north of Chuangchow between General Chang Ching-lu's men and a force from Foochow.

WARREN LEAVES

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Dec. 15.—Mr. Charles Beecher Warren, the American Ambassador to Japan, left for Tokio this morning.

Brokers Blamed For Fall Of Franc

(Reuter's Service)

Antwerp, Dec. 13.—Four exchange brokers in Antwerp and one in Brussels have been arrested in connection with exchange speculation to which the fall of the Belgian franc is attributed.

NOT ALARMED

(Reuter's Service)

London, Dec. 14.—A Home Office statement does not attach importance to the sweets sent to the Home Secretary, which, it says, are not chocolated. The statement declares that the circumstances preclude the possibility of any attempt being intended on Mr. Bridgeman's life.

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December 15th, 1922

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Result of Drawing

Reimbursements	Drawn by Bonds Numbered								$
1 of $15,789	4,807	Cumulative Progressive Reimbursement Drawn by Chinese Bondholder—Shanghai—1/2							equal to 15,789
		„ „ „ „ —Kirin —1/4							
		„ „ „ „ —Paoying —1/4							
15 „ $2,000	2,706	3,731	4,707	5,838	7,406	10,110	14,368	16,288	
	17,796	17,986	18,855	24,530	24,609	25,755	26,648		„ 30,000
15 „ $ 300	1,505	4,101	10,257	11,685	12,224	13,261	14,710	16,136	
	18,906	20,404	20,989	23,972	25,669	27,200	28,741		„ 4,500
15 „ $ 200	107	1,401	4,266	5,097	5,113	5,345	15,167	16,643	
	20,915	23,470	25,704	26,537	26,555	29,032	31,177		„ 3,000
15 „ $ 100	1,194	1,347	2,168	3,847	12,304	14,375	16,118	17,729	
	19,697	19,827	21,493	23,178	27,478	28,756	29,684		„ 1,500
1 „ $ 1,579	5,803								„ 1,579
1 „ $ 200	26,119								„ 200
1 „ $ 173	20,174								„ 173
1 „ $ 100	558								„ 100
3158 „ $ 12	Terminating with No. 0								„ 37,896
3223	Reimbursements Totalling								$ 94,737

'FIRE-BOMBS' AT POLICE STATION CAUSE BLAZE

Innocent 'Lost Cargo' Explodes In West Hongkew Station

Three fire-bombs exploded in the compound of the West Hongkew police station Thursday night, revealing what is believed to be the operations of a gang of 'fire-fcxes' in Shanghai which may lead to interesting developments.

Three infernal machines operated and timed by means of ingenious clock works mechanisms flared suddenly into blazing activity after having been carried into the station in the belief that they were innocent boxes of cargo that had been left in the roadway by a forgetful owner.

Only the exceedingly prompt work of the staff of the Police Station led by Sergt. C. B. Henry, who was then on duty and who armed his helpers with chemical fire extinguishers, checked a spread of blazing flames carried by streams of burning kerosene that were released.

The three infernal machines, concealed in ordinary pine packing cases in dimensions about two and a half feet square, were found by a Chinese police constable on North Soochow Road near the Honan Road bridge about 8:30 o'clock in the evening and as they seemed to be ownerless or left there through mistake the constable sent them into the station, making at the same a routine report concerning the finding of the three boxes.

BOXES FORGOTTEN

The boxes were stored in front of the cells in the station compound and were forgotten until about 10:30 o'clock when the conflagration started, first from one of the boxes and shortly after from a second. As the fire mounted large quantities of burning oil gushed from the blazing mass spreading the flames in every direction.

Due to the work of those on duty at the station the damage done was confined to the burning of woodwork near the cells. Before the third box burst into flames it was removed to a point where it could be dealt with to the best advantage and it took an hour after the first fire developed before it started to burn.

Examination of the remains of the boxes yesterday disclosed they had been filled with cotton seed and oil soaked cotton. Each of the boxes also carried large jars of kerosine, the tops of which evidently had been sealed. These jars were made of a material like paper mache of a quality that when attacked by fire they would blaze quickly and release the stored oil.

THE MECHANISM

The mechanism by which the fires in the boxes were started was most ingenious. The clock works employed, fastened to small shelves on the insides of the boxes, were of the alarm clock type, of Japanese make, it was ascertained yesterday. With the alarm bell removed the clocks had been set to go off at a certain hour and the winding leaves on the back which revolves while the alarm is sounding had been removed from each of the mechanisms and in place of these levers, odd-shaped wheels, designed for the particular purpose, had been attached.

These wheels over their entire circumferences carried matches securely put in place in such fashion that when the wheels revolved as the alarm was released the heads of the matches were rubbed against strips of the ordinary phosphorous paper used on the sides of match boxes. Bunches of other matches were so placed that they would take fire and then ignite the cotton waste.

In the course of the investigation being made it was found yesterday that the three boxes had been brought to the place where they were found about half past 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon. An hour after that time two Chinese who seemed to be in possession of them appeared with three coolies pushing wheelbarrows.

LEFT ON ROAD

The boxes were loaded on to wheel barrows and were carried away only to be returned to the spot several hours later. According to reports made to the police the coolies wheeled the boxes to the Markham Road bridge along Soochow Road. There, the men directing the coolies encountered a hitch in their plans, for they told the coolies to take the boxes back to the original spot which was done.

The two that had directed operations then told the wheel barrow coolies they would have to go and get the money needed to pay for the work and they disappeared and did not return. The coolies waited vainly several hours and then they too went away leaving the boxes where the police constable found them.

The police have not disclosed any theories in connection with the infernal machines and no arrests have yet been made.

Mrs. Harrison Is In Trouble Again

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Chita, Dec. 7.—Mrs. Margaret Harrison, an American journalist, arrived here recently. She had previously been in prison in Moscow and had written a book entitled "Marooned in Moscow". She came from Peking,—where the Soviet representative had given her a visa,—via Kalgan and Urga, reaching Chita about November 18.

After a few days here she was arrested by the Gos-Politokhran, the State Political Defence Department (actually the Counter-Espionage Department which functions much as the Cheka in Moscow). Orders for her arrest had come straight from Moscow and M. Kobazeff, chief of the Revolutionary Committee which functions here under Moscow, was unaware of the event and pointed out that he had no authority over the actions of the Gos-Politokhran.

Mrs. Harrison was sent to Moscow a few days later and is at present detained there.

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Make Report Of Work Of Ricsha Mission

A report on the splendid work done by the Ricsha Mission during the past year was made public yesterday when Mr. George Mathe son, founder and honorary director of the mission made his annual report for 1922. The report covers the activities of the mission from Christmas, 1921, when the Mission opened its house for three days and all coolies who came were given substantial Chinese food.

Large quantities of food were also distributed on Christmas Day at the street shelters, home, and on the roads, to those who could not come for it. Many hundreds of warm garments and suits of clothing were supplied to shivering men.

The generous Christmas fund may really be said to be one of the big factors in the maintenance of the work the report says, for not only is there a feeling of goodwill and confidence created at Christmas, but all through the year, while the money lasts, it enables the Mission to supply the additional food and clothing which add so much to the health and comfort of the men.

MEN IMPROVE

The report makes mention of the awakening of mentality and intelligent interest, followed by great improvement in character and conduct, of the men frequenting the Mission. Agitators have been at work among the coolies instigating them to strikes, but every endeavor has been made to counteract these movements by convincing the men that their only hope of recognition and help must arise from good conduct and industry.

Since last January, the Mission complying with a request from the police authorities, has given at all men's meetings in the halls and shelters instructions in police and traffic regulations.

Attendance during the year has been exceptionally large and men come from long distances to attend the meetings.

At the Mission premises, street shelters and homes, all sick men and those in need are attended to and helped with food, clothing and hospital aid. No ricsha man need suffer in Shanghai from lack of these while the Mission exists and while charitable people are ready to befriend the class for which it exists. Visits are regularly paid to the homes, stands, shelters and places where the ricsha men are to be found, and large quantities of suitable literature, including health and traffic leaflets, are distributed in the halls and outside.

SCHOOL POPULAR

It is interesting to note that work among women is also carried on throughout the year. Two day schools continue to be popular and most useful institutions, daily attendances, boys and girls, ranging from 18 to 20.

The accounts show receipts and assets amounting to $12,381, including $10,899 in donations. Relief in various forms accounted for $5,000, whilst $3,000 has been placed to the building fund and roughly $1,500 remains on bank deposit, the rest having been taken up by administration expenses, wages of the Chinese staff of 13, $1,649 for the whole year, being the largest item, followed by $703 for rent and taxes, the rest being inconsiderable.

The report contains some interesting statistics of distributions and work, namely: Distributed during the year: Meals, 93,150; special Christmas food parcels 15,000; garments 3,050; sandals and stockings, 5,160; meetings in halls, 744; monthly attendance (average), 13,000; visits to stands, shelters and districts, 4,670; visits to homes of coolies, 4,400; weekly attendance at Sunday School (average), 800, number sleeping in halls, 12,600 (no blankets stolen); coolies known by Mission to be durnk, none.

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AMERICAN MAIL ARRIVES TODAY ON JEFFERSON

Big Shipment Due; Outgoing Mail Closes This Evening

Following the two big liners arriving from America today, two more are due here shortly, and one is to sail for the States tomorrow. The President Jackson which is to take the next mail for America, will dock at the China Merchants Central Wharf from Hongkong about noon today. The vessel is scheduled to sail at 8:30 o'clock tomorrow morning and will arrive in Seattle via Kobe and Yokohama on January 2. Both ordinary and registered mail for the United States will close at the American post office at 6 o'clock this evening.

A rather unusually heavy mail, 2,492 sacks, will be delivered to the American post office from the President Jefferson today. The liner is to dock at the China Merchants Lower Wharf from Seattle and Japan ports about noon and will sail for Hongkong and Manila at 8 o'clock tomorrow morning. Besides the mail it brings, there is also a big passenger list. The ship brings 1,600 tons of cargo on board for this port.

The Empress of Asia is due at Woosung from Vancouver tonight and sails for Manila and Hongkong tomorrow evening. The tender with incoming passengers is expected at the Customs jetty about 9:30 tomorrow morning, and outgoing passengers are to leave the jetty at 5 o'clock that afternoon. Heavy baggage should be delivered to the Company's godown before noon today. Ordinary mail for Manila will close at the American post office at noon tomorrow and registered at 6 p.m. today.

The Korea Maru of T. K. K. which sailed from San Francisco on November 25 left Yokohama on Thursday and is due at Woosung next Wednesday, December 20. The vessel will sail for Manila and Hongkong in the evening.

The President Lincoln, also from San Francisco and has on board passengers and mail of the President Taft transferred at Honolulu, will arrive at Yokohama tomorrow morning and is expect December 21.

Russian Refugee Problem Unchanged

No new developments have occurred in the problem of the 14 shiploads of Russian refugees anchored off the breakwater at Woosung. The ships are still held up by the Chinese authorities and no decision has been made by Admiral Stark on which date, if any, he will sail for some other port in the hope of being allowed to land.

In the meantime any Shanghai people who would like to do something for refugees are referred to the 35 orphans now quartered in the old railway station at Siccawei and are requested to make their own investigation of their needs.

AMERICAN SCHOOL RECITAL

Students of the Shanghai American School will give a recital this afternoon at the Eliza Yates School Auditorium, beginning at 4:30. A feature program includes piano solos and duets, as well as several selections by the high school chorus and boys' quartet. Friends and patrons of the School are cordially invited to attend.

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News Brevities

The regular annual meeting of the Columbia Country Club will be held on Friday, January 19 at 6:00 p.m. at the Club House, 50 Route Doumer, to elect members to the Board of Governors and transact such other business as may came before the meeting.

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On account of the Community Christmas Tree Party having also been set for Friday afternoon, December 22, the Columbia Country Club has changed its Christmas Party to Thursday afternoon, December 21.

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An application was heard in the Mixed Court yesterday in connection with the case of S. Gilbaum, Russian, who was sentenced to six months' imprisonment and deportation last June for picking the pockets of two Japanese on tram cars. Assessors Ivanoff and Magistrate Tsang ordered that the man be held in custody until the time he can be sent to Vladivostok and that his family be placed on the same ship which takes him from this port.

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Charged with being concerned in a godown breaking at 21 Museum Road, when $1,200 worth of silk was stolen, a Chinese clerk appeared before Assessor Blackburn and Magistrate Li at the Mixed Court yesterday. A remand of a week was granted on application of Detective Sergeant Douglas.

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Arrested on a Mixed Court warrant issued in February, 1919, a Chinese appeared in the Mixed Court yesterday charged with being a member of a band of armed robbers which held up and robbed a shop, 322 North Shanse Road, securing $1,000, in December 1918. The case was prosecuted by Detective Inspector Cruickshank, who stated that word had recently been received that the man was in prison at Tsungming, where he was arrested on a despatch warrant. Seven other men have been convicted as members of the gang. The case was remanded two weeks for further inquiry.

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David Cecil Johnson died very suddenly last week at his home in Pasay, P. I. Mr. Johnson was the son of Justice Johnson of the Supreme Court, and a member of the law firm of Gibbs, McDonough and Johnson. He was born at Ann Arbor, Michigan, October 28, 1891. He was graduated from the University of Michigan in 1914 with the degrees A. B. and L. B. and was a member of the Phi Delta fraternity.

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The Governor-in-Council at Canton has appointed special commissions to draft regulations for the creation of a Labour Bureau and for more representative local self-government.

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The Japanese Training Squadron of three ships, under Vice, Admiral Taniguchi, will arrive in Hongkong early in January. There are 2,474 officers and crew, including 378 cadets of all descriptions.

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Mr. Chu Cho-tseng, a Kuomingtang leader, was injured yesterday when he was assaulted by two fellow-members. The two assailants had come to ask for certain financial claims and were given by Mr. Chu a few dollars. As they were not satisfied, an argument ensued and Chu was assaulted.

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To relieve the stringency of specie in Tientsin, Shanghai bankers have shipped $2,000,000 in silver dollars to the Northern city.

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Yen Chia-tse, chief of the financial department of Kiangsu, will arrive in Shanghai next week to negotiate for a loan for the province.

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Mr. Chang Chung-mei, a German returned student and Acting President of the China Institute of Woosung, will address the School of Comparative Law of Soochow University, Quinsan Road, this afternoon at 5 o'clock. His subject will be "The New Constitution of Germany."

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Mr. Jabin Hsu of THE CHINA PRESS will address the Shanghai Missionary College, 17 Ningkuo Road, tonight at 8 o'clock. He will speak on "China's Aspirations at the Washington Conference and Their Results."

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The proprietor of an opium den at 59 Kwangse Road was fined $30 at the Mixed Court yesterday. Four patrons of the establishment were fined $3 each.

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A houseboy caught burglarising the home of Mr. H. G. Cole on December 8 was sentenced to eight months' imprisonment by the Mixed Court yesterday.

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Members of the Y.M.C.A. will hold an excursion to Chinkiang during Christmas. The party will leave Shanghai on Saturday noon and return on the 25th by the noon train.

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Alumni of the Y.M.C.A. High School will hold their annual meeting on January 1 at 11 o'clock in the morning. Officers for the ensuing year will be elected.

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Alumni of the Public School for Chinese, Elgin Road, will hold a concert on the evening of the 30th at 6 o'clock.

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The Red Cross has distributed 1,500 bags of flour among the various ships at Woosung.

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Mr. Zenjiro Yasuda has proposed to give Y.1,000,000 to the Tokio-fu Social Works Association for the social work. It is reported that the gift will be used for a systematic investigation of the general condition of the unemployed throughout the country. The Tokio-fu employment office has been prepared with a complete program of investigation for some time, but it has been forced to abandon the plan because of a lack of funds.

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Owing to the annexation of the Far Eastern Republic to the Soviet Russia, M. Ozornin, at Harbin, has been nominated Special Envoy of the Soviet Russia in the Far East, empowered to register the citizens and to issue passports for travellers visiting Russia. The Chinese authorities have been notified to that effect.

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There are 113,749 widows in Tokio. Whether some of these widows, if they marry again, should be socially countenanced, is still an issue in Japan, says a report. The Japanese sense of propriety has undergone considerable change of recent years.

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Two Chinese charged with the manufacture of opium pills were dismissed at the Mixed Court yesterday after Dr. O. Fischer had argued the point that the pills under consideration contained less than the amount of opium prescribed by law. The men were arrested two weeks ago in a raid in Shanhaikwan Road and a factory where the pills were being manufactured was closed. The analysis showed a very small percentage of the drug to be contained in the pills.

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Dr. D. MacGillivray, General Secretary of the Christian Literature Society, will speak at the Sunday Service League services tomorrow afternoon at 5 o'clock at Martyr's Memorial Hall, 120 Szechuen Road.

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Dr. F. P. Fuerholzer, formerly of Hollo, Philippine Islands, will lecture with lantern slides on "Hunting Wild Animals in Africa" to the members of the Filipino Club and their friends at 96 Yuhang Road, tonight at 9 p.m.

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The Hon. Secretary of the Ladies' Benevolent Society, Mrs. E. F. Mackay, desires to ackrowledge with thanks the receipt of $10 from Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Simms in memory of the late A. Fergusson.

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The "Shanghai Journal of Commerce" reports that local Japanese residents are contemplating the establishment of another school in Yangtszepoo district. Japanese mills will contribute Tls. 70,000 and the Japanese Residents' Association will add to this sum another Tls. 50,000.

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The British gunboat Diomede, the third of the light coulsers of the "D" class, which with the British gunboats Durban and Despatch is replacing the older "C" class vessels, the Cairo, Curlew and Colombo, arrived in Hongkong on December 9 with the gunboat Petersfield. The Petersfield is a despatch vessel to take the place of the Alacrity.

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The Hon. Treasurer of the King's Daughters' Society desires to acknowledge with thanks the receipt of the following sums in memory of Mr. Alexander Ferguson: For their convalescent home fund—$10 from Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Clark; for their general funds—$20 from Messrs. Frazar and Co.; $5 from Mr. E. H. McMichael; $5 from Mr. J. J. Dawe; $10 from Mr. C. T. Beath; $10 from Mr. and Mrs. H. Lindsay; $10 from Mr. P. M. Massey; $25 from Mr. R. F. C. Master; $25 from Mr. M. Reader Harris; and $10 from Mr. and Mrs. Martin Little.

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Mr. H. Y. Moh, who is proprietor of a number of cotton mills in Shanghai and Honan, and a member of the Chinese Advisory Board to the Shanghai Municipal Council has given a donation of $100,000 for the establishment of a girls' middle school in the Chinese City. The donor is a returned student and has just returned form Honolulu where he acted as Chinese delegate to the Pan-Pacific Union's Commercial conference.

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The disposition of the "Japan Chronicle," whose proprietor war the late Mr. Robert Young, is mentioned in a letter which has just come from Japan. The deceased willed half of the "Chronicle" to his widow, a quarter to his youngest son (now in the printing department of the paper), and another quarter to Mr. Morgan Young, the managing editor for the past eight years but who is no relation of the deceased.

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The weekly dinner dance was held at the Columbia Country Club last night. The new Club orchestra under the leadership of Harry Kerrey furnished the latest music.

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The engagement is announced of Mr. A. F. Creedy, A. C. A., late of the Kailan Mining Administration, to Miss M. Carr of Shanghai. The marriage will take place in London next April, and the honeymoon will be spent at Teignmouth, in Devon. Mr. Creedy and fiancee are now on their way home.

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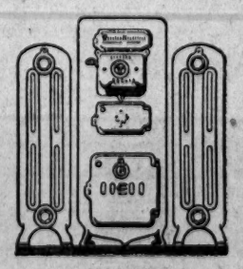

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The Whites moved up one notch in the Foreign Basketball League race last night when they downed the Stripes in a close game on the Rowing Club floor, 27 to 26.

Previous to the game, the Whites and Stripes were tied for last place, and the Whites are now on a level with the Public School, which has dropped its last three games.

Play was rather slow throughout, Ross scoring eight baskets for the losers and Smith and Heinzerling did the bulk of the scoring for the Whites.

The half-time score was 13 to 12 in favor of the Whites, who took a big lead in the second half, but the Stripes dropped the ball several times for markers and finally drew up one point ahead, a couple of shots by Smith a few seconds before the whistle giving the Whites the game.

The individual scoring follows:

Whites		Stripes
Kriesel	lf	Bell
Heinzerling	rf	Ross
Kline	c	J. Smith
W. Smith	lg	Wilhelmi
Philips	rg	Young
Schmidt	rg	

Goals from floor: Ross 8, W. Smith 6, Heinzerling 5, Bell 3, Philips 2, Wilhelmi 2. Goals from fouls: Kline 1. Referees: Krygsman, Hirsh.

JACK WILLING TO MEET JESS AT ANY TIME

In Six Months Or 48 Hours, Champ Says At Los Angeles

China Press Special

Los Angeles, December 14.—Jack Dempsey, world's heavyweight champion, issued a statement today in which he said "I am ready to meet Jess Willard any time at any place. I will fight him in 48 hours or six months".

Hockey Line-ups

The following will represent the Shanghai Hockey Club "A" team against Club Lusitano today at 2:45 p.m. on the Shanghai Cricket Club ground:

Messrs. J. P. Jones, A. M. Bourne, C. M. Reece, H. M. Mann, W. S. Harvie, F. A. Sampson, R. L. Evans, C. L. Thornton, E. H. Parrott, J. L. Beaumont, J. L. Crompton. Reserve: N. Richardson.

The following will represent the Shanghai Hockey Club "B" team against the Police on the Polo Ground:

Messrs. A. Barton, H. Rogerson, R. E. Salmon, D. C. Weir, H. J. Faers, A. R. King, H. Rogers, W. T. Bertenshaw, C. Morgan, H. N. Steptoes, V. H. Lanning. Reserve: T. B. Tilley.

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Here's 'Low Down' On The Visiting Big Leaguers

GEORGE KELLY

Long George Kelly, first baseman of the New York Nationals, is a ball player by right of birth. His uncle, the famous Bill Lange, was one of the greatest ball players in the history of America's national game. Kelly clinched the National League pennant for New York this season with a base hit that scored the winning run against the St. Louis Cardinals. His drive in the world's series with the bases filled won the world's championship for his nine. He is a powerful hitter, and the best thrower in the National League.

BUSH OF THE YANKEES

"Bullet Joe" Bush, leading pitcher of the American League in 1922, was born in Brainerd, Minn., twenty-nine years ago. He has always pitched since he began to play baseball. He attracted the attention of Connie Mack, manager of the Philadelphia Athletics, and signed a contract with the Athletics when that famous team was leading the American League. Later he was traded to Boston. Bush, two years ago, suffered an injury to his right shoulder and for a time was almost helpless. Care and skilled treatment restored his arm, and this season he pitched with the best success he had ever had. He is master of a freak delivery, which he calls the "fork" ball.

SEWELL OF THE INDIANS

Luke Sewell, a classmate of Stephenson, and brother of the Cleveland shortstop, Joe, is fighting his way to the front in baseball as a catcher. He is a clever handler of pitchers and a keen judge of hitters. His snappy manner and all-round ability has won him the approbation of baseball fans.

HOYT OF THE YANKEES

Waite Hoyt has the distinction of being the "youngest veteran" pitcher in the major leagues. He learned to pitch as a boy at Erasmus Hall High School, Brooklyn, a section of Greater New York. He was signed to a contract when under age by the New York Nationals, and from that date, when he was fourteen years of age, he has been on the roster of some major or minor league club or another. In the world's series of 1921 he pitched three games without allowing a single earned run. He now is twenty-three years of age.

CHARLES D. STENGEL

"Casey" Stengel of the Giants is one of the masters of playing ball correctly and has long been recognised as an outfielder of much skill and great judgment. He came out of the minor league to Brooklyn, was traded to Pittsburg, and then to the Phillies before going to the Giants. Stengel normally hits aroung the .280 mark, but this season he was one of the leading hitters in the National League.

FRED HOFMANN

Fred Hofmann of the New York Yankees, catcher, is one of the most promising youngsters in the big leagues. Miller J. Huggins, manager of the Yankees, declares that Hofmann ranks with the best catchers in the game. He is strong, a good thrower and a powerful hitter. He went to the American League from St. Paul in the American Association.

HERBERT PENNOCK

Herbert Pennock, the left hander of the Boston Red Sox, is known far and wide as one of the leading

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Club Booked To Win Today; Recs Should Defeat Police; Public School Plays Xavier's

Football is likely to be denuded of most of its spectators today in view of the big league baseball players who are showing the local stars how it ought to be done.

Here is one of the sorrows of a sports reporter. He has to follow his game and maskee counter attractions, but it would not surprise me if one or two of the players lost their way before they reach the Police and Recreation Club grounds.

If they don't, there ought to be two good games. The Club and Engineers should be a fast bustling game and if the Club play like they did last week, they will be too good for their opponents.

The Recs on form up-to-date are a better team than the Police, but the latter are a hard crowd to beat and always ready to hand out a surprise.

If the Xavier's send out their reinforced team as advertised in the press yesterday they should be too strong for the school otherwise the odds are heavily on the boys.

Lineups for today's games:

The following will represent the Shanghai Public School in their league match against St. Xavier's: J. Brockett; P. Madar and B. H. Smith; J. Mahon, C. H. Seimsen and M. A. Hansen; T. Madar, H. Feine, M. Moosa, D. Drake and A. Jesu. Reserve: Ribeiro.

The following will represent the Shanghai Public School in their second league match against the Recs: I. Cohen, A. Remedios, C. Mahon, A. Harrison, C. N. Brown, V. Cooke, J. Lewis, A. Reid, E. Cooke, C. Jenssen: Reserves: Carlson, Jowin, Kabelitz.

The following men will represent the Customs' Team: E. J. Sluis, W. H. Tipton, W. G. Froud, H. Hertz, D. H. Davies, W. J. Hatton, W. Utting, F. Bing (vice-Capt.), A. E. Barnes (Capt.), W. E. Lamb and R. M. Ogden.

Reserves: P. W. Coxall, H. S. Chapman and R. B. Martin.

The following team will represent the Rangers: J. M. Pearson; G. McCann, C. Fuxman, A. G. P. Dewing, L. F. Payne, J. Henry, J. Pote-Hunt, H. H. Nash, B. McCarthy, A. L. Whittaker, C. W. Smith. Linesman: N. S. Jacobs.

RECS vs. BAPTIST

The Chinese Recreation Club football team will play the Shanghai Baptist College tomorrow afternoon on the club ground at West Gate, and not with the Aurora University as previously announced. The game is to start at 2:45 p.m.

P.S.C.A.A. vs. DUNG CHI

The football team of the Public School for Chinese Alumni Association is billed to play the eleven of the Dung Chi Medical and Engineering College today on the College grounds, Woosung.

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George Kelly To Try To Break Cricket Ball Throw

George Kelly, who made the hit that beat the Cardinals and won a pennant for the Giants, and in the world's series clouted the bingle which gave his team the championship, will this afternoon attempt to break the world's record for throwing the cricket ball.

The present mark is 399 feet, made by Jordon of the 9th Cavalry here three years ago. Kelly should be able to bust the record.

A cricket ball is slightly heavier than a baseball but smaller. It has one seam.

Kelly has one of the most wonderful arms in the major leagues. In an exhibition at Tokio, he stood on the home plate and hurled a baseball over the center field fence.

COLONEL HUSTON SELLING INTEREST IN THE YANKEES

China Press Special

New York, December 14.—Colonel Jacob Huston, owner of the New York American League baseball club is negotiating for the sale of his half interest in the Yankees.

Joe Bush, Waite Hoyt and Fred Hoffman of the American big league baseball players now in Shanghai are members of the New York Americans.

GOLF MATCHES ON SUNDAY

The December monthly cup competition of the Shanghai Golf Club will be played for at Kiangwan today and tomorrow. There will be two classes, as follows:—"A," 12 handicap and under; "B" over 12 hundicap. The condition will be 18 holes, medal play under club handicaps, the winner to qualify for the Captain's Cup.

BIG LEAGUERS PLAY TODAY; GAME AT 2:15

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HOYT OR BUSH

Party Taken On Tour Of City; Maloney Hurls For Locals

BY J. E. DOYLE

We who are far from Coogan's Bluff and Navin Field, we dwellers of the alleged fantastic East who get our major league baseball thrills from month-old newspapers, we who greet these American ball tossers as a breath from "the old world"—this morning we raise our beseechings and prayers to the Gods of Weather and the Director of The North Wind to lay off for the day. We submit to your dictates for the rest of the year, yes and next year. We voice no objection to a long, cold and hard winter, but today, Oh Cold Wind, have a heart!

For Long George Kelly and Bullet Joe Bush, Doc Lavan and Irish Meusel, Amos Strunk and Bert Griffith, Riggs Stephenson and Luke Sewall, Bib Falk and Waite Hoyt have dug their ball suits out of the w.k. trunks and look with favor upon the baseball populace of this city on yonder Whangpoo Stream.

And Casey Stengel, who comes all the way from Kansas City with the reputation that he has never dropped a fly ball and a resolution to catch 'em barehanded next season so that he may not wear out his glove, is set for an afternoon on the coaching lines. Casey is a second Nick Altrock, with a line that is hard

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"southpaws" of the major leagues. He is a trim and lightly built young man, yet there are few pitchers with more speed. Pennock was with the Athletics for several years and last season he pitched successfully for Boston.

AMOS STRUNK

Amos Strunk, of the Chicago White Sox, is fleet of foot and sure of arm. He can traverse great distances in the outfield and make spectacular catches. He was with the old Athletics in the hey day of Philadelphia's baseball glory and won his share of fame. He first played with Philadelphia, covering the outfield for that club from 1910 until 1917. He is now with the White Sox and one of "Kid" Gleason's most valued players. He throws and bats left handed.

RIGGS STEPHENSON

In the United States they call Riggs Stephenson of the Clevelands, "Old hoss," at the University of Alabama, where he was educated, and that tells the story of the quiet, smiling big boy of the Cleveland team. Stephenson is an infielder, and a good one. He is strong, has a good arm, and above everything else he can hit. In his first year in the big leagues, he batted .330, and he shows no inclination to stop. In his 'varsity days, Stephenson was a football player, and in four years never had time taken out for him on account of an injury.

"BIB" FALK

Bib Falk, left fielder of the Chicago White Sox, is one of the young stars of baseball. He is a Texas lad and a college graduate. Falk is a left hand batsman, and a smashing hitter; whenever he faces a pitcher a home run may be in the making. Falk is a sure catch on fly balls, and has a great arm. Gleason thinks Falk is one of the great prospects of the Chicago club.

BERT GRIFFITH

In selecting Bert Griffith of Brooklyn for this tour, all-round ability was considered. Griffith broke into organised baseball as a pitcher and was a good one. He then became an infielder, and made good there, but recently he has been performing in the outfield. He is a hard hitter, and of the type which appeals to the fan.

DR. JOHN L. LAVAN

Dr. John L. Lavan, a graduate of the University of Michigan, is one of the representative men of the professions who have adopted baseball as a temporary career. Dr. Lavan has been in the major leagues since 1913, and has been with the St. Louis Cardinals since 1919. He is not a slugger, but hits timely and he is a clever and reliable defensive man.

EMIL MEUSEL

Emil Meusel is one of two famous brothers. He made his baseball start in California, graduating from the sand lots to the Pacific Coast League. He entered the National League by way of Philadelphia. He was always a powerful hitter, and this fall tied the record for batting runs home in a world's series playing for the Giants against the Yankees he made enough hits to result in seven runs crossing the plate.

HERBERT H. HUNTER

MANAGER

Herbert Harrison Hunter, who directs the baseball mission, was born in Melrose, Mass., also the birthplace of the noted operatic star, Geraldine Farrar. Upon being graduated from the grade and high schools of his native town, Hunter entered the University of West Virginia, but the lure of the diamond proved irresistible and he signed a contract with the New York Giants. From New York, Hunter went to the Chicago Nationals and then to the Coast League, returning to the majors with the Boston Red Sox and later the St. Louis Cardinals.

Herbert Hunter represents the highest type of American athlete. He is no stranger to Japan, where he piloted a team of American players several years ago. While in Japan, Hunter accepted the post of baseball coach at Waseda University. He met with remarkable success and had the satisfaction of seeing his pupils defeat the Indiana University baseball team when they made a tour of Japan last spring.

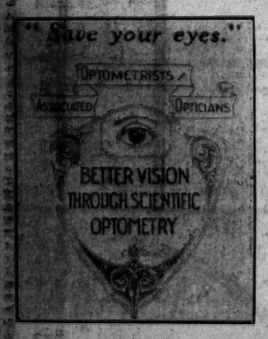
FRANK F. O'NEILL

Frank F. O'Neill, a member of the sporting staff of the New York Sun, is the press representative and assistant manager of the tour. O'Neill has had a broad experience in the field of sport, both as a competitor and a reporter. Born and raised in New York, he played ball on the sand lots and then made his high school team. Later he played professional baseball for two years. He was a football player of passing ability and won repute as an oarsman.

O'Neill was member of the staff of the New York Tribune for seven years, leaving there to enlist in the army in the world war. Since his honorable discharge from service, he has been with the New York Sun.

GOLF AT HANKOW

In the golf play at Hankow for the Mixed Four-some Medal which resulted in a tie between Mrs. Hetherington and J. Paul and Mrs. and Mr. H. A. Allan the former couple won with a net return of 67 to the latter's 69.



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Big Leaguers Play Today; Game At 2.15

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to tie. He is the bird who pulled the famous stunt of letting loose a robin from his cap when he was with Brooklyn, thereby delighting an admiring throng at the Flatbush Field and causing consternation among the opposition.

Herb Pennock who cavorts in the neighborhood of Fenway Park when his Club is playing at home, and who knows every milepost on the Revere Boulevard—and every State cop—will probably not work today. But he will be out in a suit and will warm up to show the boys how it is done.

The big leagues are out to hit the ball hard today and the stars will not disappoint Shanghai. They are having a great time here and last night said that they would fight the wintry blasts. And noting that the coolie just emptied another $25 into our stove, one would suggest that there might be a battle.

Mal Maloney is to hurl for Shanghai and has officially announced that he will throw his egg ball if it gets colder. John Scott was down to hurl but he started to warm up yesterday morning and anticipated an all-night job—and age told. John will play the outfield where he will run his eggs off. The rest of the Shanghai team is listed above.

George Moriarty, terror of all American League players and former Detroit star, will work behind the bat this afternoon and will announce each player as he comes to bat.

The game starts promptly at 2:15 o'clock.

SEE CITY

Yesterday morning the baseball party saw the city, going through the foreign and Chinese business sections in a fleet of motor cars, the tour taking in all the points of interest with several local fans impersonating the late Mr. Thomas Cook.

Last night was the big dinner at the American Club and this morning the ladies and gentlemen of the baseball mission will devote themselves to shopping. Already Doc Lavan has a flock of rugs and Mrs. Irish Meusel is a cloisonne connoisseur.

HOW THE TEAMS WILL LINE-UP TODAY

ALL AMERICANS		SHANGHAI	
Strunk (White Sox)	cf	Holliday	3b
Griffith (Robins)	2b	Bills	ss
Bib Falk (White Sox)	lf	Scott	lf
Irish Meusel (Giants)	rf	Kingman	1b
Kelly (Giants)	1b	Maloney	p
Stephenson (Indians)	3b	Bruce	cf
Doc Lavan (Cardinals)	ss	Thatch	2b
Luke Sewall (Indians)	c	Wall	c
Joe Bush (Yankees) or Waite Hoyt (Yankees)	p	Smith or Hirsch	rf
Hoffman (Giants)			
Stengel (Giants)			

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Education Depends On Boxer Funds

(Reuter's Service)

London, Dec. 13.—In the House of Commons today, replying to Sir Walter de Frece, Mr. Ronald McNeill, Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs, said that the gist of the report of Sir John Jordan's Committee on the Education of Chinese students in England was that nothing effective could be accomplished without considerable funds and the only sufficient funds which might become available appeared to be the Boxer Indemnity.

The Committee suggested that they should suspend consideration of the question until the Government had decided their attitude towards the resumption of the indemnity payments. The Government had since been communicating with the other Governments concerned and hoped to be able to inform the Chinese Government of the decision shortly.

Tiger Opposed To Ruhr Occupation

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, Dec. 14.—Interviewed by the correspondent of the Petit Parisien before sailing from New York, M. Clemencau declared that he was opposed to the occupation of the Ruhr and suggested that the Anglo-French disagreement should be submitted to President Harding's arbitration.

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Club Booked To Win Today; Recs Should Defeat Police

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Ll. T. H. Yao, V. P. Wong. Re-

The Alumni team will meet at the Assn. quarters, 498 Elgin Road, before 1 p.m. and take the 1:15 p.m. train to Woosung. The following represent the P.S.C.A.A.: S. L. Zee, Y. T. Har, Z. Y. Yu, M. C. Chang, T. Z. Yang, D. S. Li, G. Waite, S. Y. Loch, D. Y. serves: T. H. Ting, M. D. Han and J. S. Woo.

The St. Xavier's first eleven will be represented by Baker; H. Favacho, W. Favacho; T. Murray, J. Johnson and O. Boisserie; F. Gutierrez, J. Silva, J. Tordy, A. Costa and J. Gutierrez.

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Reserves: T. Aldeguer and J. Nooct.

The Shanghai Municipal Police vs Recreation Club Football.

The following team has been selected to represent the Police—

Goal: Cameron; Right back Quayle; Left back, Biggs; Right half back, McDonald; center half back, Spence; left half back, Clissold; center forward; Robinson; inside right, Watson (Capt.); Bailey, inside left; outside right, Phillips; Crowley, outside left.

The following will represent the Recs: A. H. dos Remedios, E. Turner, J. Xavier, C. J. Smith, E. F. Mears, F. C. H. Ollerdessen, G. Johansson, A. Sofoulis, F. Witschi, C. Sofoulis, J. R. Johansson.

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The Police second league team which plays the Customs at Hongkew Park, will be: Goal, Eva; right back, Robertson (Capt.); left back, Pridmore; right half back, Thurgood; center half back, Mcgregor; left half back, Slater; inside right Forkin; outside right, Knight; center forward, Munson; inside left, Bouvier; outside left, Jarmain.

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CATHOLIC CIRCLE vs. N. J.

A friendly football match between Shanghai Catholic Circle and the N. J. Club has been arranged to take place at the Hongkew Park on Sunday. The following players have been selected to represent the S.C.C. (White and Black):—E. E. Wilson, J. Tordy, J. Lima (Capt.), A. M. Gonsalves, L. Lima, E. C. J. Pereira, B. Pintos, J. R. Remedios, P. A. da Costa, P. S. Barradas, A. Allemao.

Reserve:—A. F. Remedios.

N. J. C. (Whites):—A. H. Remedios, A. A. Remedios, R. R. Robarts, A. S. Braga, J. P. Campos, T. G. J. D'Almeida, H. J. Encarnacao, G. M. P. Remedios, A. F. Gomes, J. C. Britto, A. L. Aguiar (Capt.) Reserves:—C. J. Beale, J. Canavarro, C. da Silva, W. J. da Cruz. Linesman:—John Walker and J. M. Gonsalves. Referee:—The Rev. Father R. Jaquinot, S. J.

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In accordance with the principle of "safety first" it has been decided not to use the ferry boats for conveying the spectators but to request them to cross the creek by the railroad bridge north of the University grounds. It is only a short distance from the bridge to the Athletic Field.

There will be a charge for admission—Ordinary tickets 20 cents and Grandstand tickets 50 cents.

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The following have been selected to represent the Artillery in their match against the Portuguese Co., S.V.C., in the first round of the "Fraser" Shield football competition, to be played tomorrow:

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Two Rugby football games will be played today, the first being a friendly game between Colors and Whites at 2:20 p.m. and the second a League game, the Club versus Shanghai Scottish at 3:40 p.m.

The following sides have been chosen. 2:30 p.m. (Colors) R. B. Roach (Back), W. Sparks, F. A. Martin, Lt. Lang and P. M. Evans (Three Quarters), A. E. Simon, S. Barker (Half Backs), A. E. Nobbins, P. E. Dawson, R. Schlee, E. B. Barraclough, W. B. Rigden, T. A. Begg, I. G. Sullivan, G. E. Mathews, C. C. Roberts (Forwards) (Whites), O. J. Barnes (Back), Lt. Baker, L. G. Williams, A. E. Lutyens and P. N. Tsoy (Three Quarters), R. D. Parkin, G. E. Goolden (Half Backs), F. C. Focken, H. A. Atkinson, F. A. Johnson, L. S. Barff, J. A. Thomson, W. Howells, C. W. Rayden, J. H. Lampert, C. W. Glass (Forwards).

GAME AT 3:40

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54634 D 17

TO LET, in private family, single room. With board. Bachelor preferred, 16, Medhurst Road, corner of Bubbling Well.
54617 D 17

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54585 D 17

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54630 D 20

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54596 D 27

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54593 D 16

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54573 D 16

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54565 D 16

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54560 D 17

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54541 D 19

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54539 D 19

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54503 D 17

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T. F. 92

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WRIGHT AND BELYEA for Houseboats, and all kinds of Motorboats, Woosung and 8 North Honan Road, Telephone N. 295.
T. F. 9

GOWNS, from Paris, latest style, price moderate. 650, Rue de l'Observatoire (entrance Avenue Dubail).
54612

CHRISTMAS cheap sale 50% off upon usual price of wardrobe, steamer and cabin trunks, leather suit. Cases and hand bags, now on at Wing Foot Trunk Company, A158, Broadway.
54616

FOR SALE, one new German piano, will sell at cost. Apply to Box 153, THE CHINA PRESS.
54621 D 17

FOR SALE, one second hand pianola, with 50 rolls, in good condition. Apply to Box 164, THE CHINA PRESS.
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53829

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54579 D 17

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54587 D 17

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54568 D 16

GOWNS, from Paris. Tel. W. 2004. Between 9 and 10 a.m.
54550 D 16

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54531 D 17

FOR SALE, 1,600 New 50 gallons White oak barrels, fully set up at Tls. 3.80, ex godown. Apply to Box 117, THE CHINA PRESS.
54501 D 17

FOR SALE: A Wichita 3 tone motor truck. Almost new. Price moderate. For further particulars, please apply to The Shanghai Trust Company, No 9, Ningpo Road.
54499 D. 17

FOR SALE, cheap. Imported poultry foods, feeding troughs, fountains, oyster shell, grit, etc. Apply to Box 108, THE CHINA PRESS.
54474 D. 17

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T. F. 90

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SHANGHAI, SATURDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1922

Business and Official Notices

CONSULATE GENERAL FOR ITALY

Persons being indebted towards the estate of the late Mr. Sola (Barber shop, Rue Montauban 42) or having claims against it, are requested to pay or to present the same at this Consulate-General not later than the 31st December, 1922; after such date claims will not be accepted.

G. de' ROSSI,
Consul-General for Italy.
54537 D 19

The Shanghai Hotels, Ltd.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Debenture Transfer Register of the above Company will be closed from the 24th to the 31st December, 1922, both days inclusive, for the preparation of Debenture Interest Warrants.

By order of the Board,
R. BASSETT,
Acting Secretary.
54624 D 19

Municipal Orchestra

Town Hall
Symphony Concerts
Sunday, December 17, at 5 p.m
Admission $0.50.
Tuesday, Dec. 19, at 9.15 p.m.
Admission $0.50.
54626 D 18

Xmas Sale

Greatest Reduction 20 to 30 per cent.
Lady Shoes Only
From 12th to 31st December, 1922.
J. Hamazaki,
No. 141, Boone Road.
Tel. North 686.
54608 D 28

Shanghai Paper Hunt Club

4th HUNT—SATURDAY, 16th DEC. 1922.
START.—WEST SIDE OF LONG VILLAGE, RUBICON ROAD, AT 3 p.m.
FINISH.—WILL BE ANNOUNCED AFTER THE HUNT HAS STARTED.

F. W. POTTER,
Master, S.P.H.C.
Shanghai, 15th Dec., 1922.
54631 D 13

Notice of Removal

Please note that my office has been removed to 25 Jinkee Road, new Chung Foo Bank Building. Phone C. 1129. Residence: Route Grouchy, corner Route Doumer 34. Phone W. 2651.

DR. K. PANEK, M.D.
Assistant Professor of Gynecological, Surgery and Midwifery at University Prague.
54602 D. 28

Foochow

The San Peh Co.'s Steamer "Ningshin," Captain J. Augestad, will leave from the Ningshao Wharf, Chinese Bund, Nantao, on Monday, the 18th inst., at about 9 p.m. This Steamer has extra large cabins with all the conveniences of a Steamer, with observation saloons fore and aft. Excellent service and cuisine. Passage fare, Shanghai to Foochow, single $30 and return $48. For Freight or Passage, apply to the office of the Company. Telephone: Freight C. 1520, Passage C. 3283. 54601 D 17

Shanghai Race Club

New Year Race Meeting
on the
Shanghai Race Course
1st January, 1923.

ENTRIES for the above Race Meeting will close at the Grand Stand at 6 p.m., on Wednesday 20th December.

ENTRY FORMS are obtainable at the Grand Stand, and at the International Recreation Club.

By Order of the Stewards,
A. W. OLSEN,
Secretary.
SHANGHAI RACE CLUB.
54625 D 19

Shanghai Race Club

NOTICE.

New Year Race Meeting, January 1, 1923.

Races numbers 4 and 5 (The New Year Scramble and the New Year Spring Race) have been altered from 5 furlongs to half-a mile.

Owners intending to enter for the above Races are asked to note this alteration in distance.

By Order of the Stewards,
A. W. OLSEN,
Secretary.
SHANGHAI RACE CLUB.
December 13, 1922.
54613 D 21

You will find in the
Eighth
issue of the
Russian Economic Review
(1) Chukotsk Peninsula
(2) Eggersheld taken over by the Ussuri Railway
(3) Russia issues Banknotes
(4) Wholesale prices at Kalgan, Hailar and Manchuli
and other interesting matter.
You will find a copy of the
Russian Economic Review
either at the offices.
1c Kiukiang Road
or at a newsboys
53518

The Shanghai Gas Co., Ltd.

NOTICE TO CONSUMERS

Special attention is called to the necessity of providing against the possible freezing of water in the Meters during the Winter months. It is, therefore, requested that all Meters in exposed positions be covered with suitable material so as to protect them against frost and thus obviate inconvenience to consumers.

W. GATER,
Secretary.
54610

NOTICE

J. R. BROWN begs to announce that he has removed his law office from 22A Yuen Ming Yuen Road to 6A Hongkong Road.
54619 D 21

Xmas and New Year Gifts

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54604 D 23

Russian Volunteer Fleet

Notice is hereby given:

1. That the Board of Directors of the Russian Volunteer Fleet has its seat in Moscow.
2. That the Far Eastern Department of the Fleet is at Vladivostock.
3. That the undersigned has been appointed as District Agent for China and Japan and Agent at Shanghai.

R. J. ELLEDER,
Russian Volunteer Fleet District Agent for China and Japan
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54559 D 16

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Admission is Free. All interested are invited to attend.
54629 D 16

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Fire resisting Godown. about 20,000 square feet space,
Brick and timber Godown. about 16,000 square feet space, either by floor or entire Godown.
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54526 D 20

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T. F. 80

NOTICE

I have opened an office in Chung Foo Building, second floor, 25 JINKEE ROAD. Letters and telephone calls may still be sent through the Shanghai Share Brokers Association.

M. FREDERICKS,
Property, Insurance, Share and General Broker.
54551 D 20

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54575 D 29

Business and Official Notices

Shanghai Waterworks Co., Ltd.

Further Issue of Tls. 300,000 7 per cent Debentures at the price of Tls. 107.00 per cent.

The Directors will be prepared to receive applications on and after 1st December, 1922, for Tls. 300,000 debentures redeemable at par after 10 years on six months' notice) and on or before December 31st, 1952 (being part of an authorised issue of Tls. 4,000,000 bearing interest at the rate of per cent per annum payable half-yearly on June 30th and December 31st of each year at the price of Tls. 107.00 per Tls. 100.00 debenture.

Copies of the Prospectus with full particulars and forms of application may be obtained at the Company's Head Office, No. 69 Kiangse Road, Shanghai.

By Order of the Directors,
W. R. WALTER,
Secretary.
Shanghai, November 29th, 1922.
T. F. 87

For Sale or To Let

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54570 D 16

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Specification to the Kirin-Changchun Railway Administration, Changchun.

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A deposit for tender to the amount of ten thousand dollars (Mex. $10,000) shall be required and this deposit should accompany all tenders.

By Order.
54532 D 19

Chinese and Foreign Banking Announcements

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S. T. HUANG, " "

Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation

Savings Bank Office:
12 The Bund and 9 Broadway.

Deposits of not less than $1.00 will be received.

Not more than $200 will be received during one month from any single Depositor.

Interest at the rate of 3.½ % per annum will be allowed upon the monthly minimum balance.

The maximum balance on which interest will be allowed is $5,000.00.

Deposits may be withdrawn on Demand. Accounts will be kept either in Dollars or Taels, Local Currency, at the option of the Depositor.

Depositors will be presented with Pass Books, in which all transactions will be entered. Pass Books must be presented when paying in or withdrawing money.

OFFICE HOURS: 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturdays, 10 a.m. to noon.

The Bank Of Canton, Limited

Incorporated 1912.
Capital Authorised $1,200,000-0-0
Capital Paid-up ..$1,066,520-0-0
Reserve Fund H. K. $800,000.00

HEAD OFFICE:
No. 6 Des Voeux Road Central, Hongkong.

OFFICES:
Shanghai, New York, Canton and Bangkok.

SHANGHAI OFFICE:
No. 1 and 2 Ningpo Road.

AGENCIES:

Honolulu	San Francisco	Kobe
London	Sourabaya	Batavia
Manila	Singapore	Canada
Yokohama	Samarang	etc.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits according to arrangement.

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

WONG WEN-KUANG,
Manager.

The Chinese American Bank of Commerce

Authorized Capital
U. S. $10,000,000
Paid up Capital U.S. $ 5,000,000

HEAD OFFICE: PEKING

Branches:

HANKOW	SHANGHAI
MANILA	SHIHKIACHWANG
HARBIN	TIENTSIN
PEKING	TSINANFU

Correspondents all over the World.

Every kind of banking business transacted.

SAVINGS DEPARTMENT

The Chinese American Bank of Commerce is prepared to open Savings Accounts in local $, Taels, G$, £, Frs. and Yen on very favorable terms. Prospectus will be mailed on request.

SHANGHAI OFFICE:
11A Nanking Road
Telephone C. 5841, 5842, 5843
Telegraphic address: Sinambank

The National Commercial Bank, Ltd.

Established 1907.

Paid-Up Capital $2,500,000.00
Reserve Fund $500,000.00

Head Office: Shanghai
Peking and Kiangse Roads.
Tels: Manager's Office: Cen. 2656
General Office: Cen. 2613 & 2614
Branches
Hangchow, Hankow, Peking Tientsin, Mukden and Harbin.
FOREIGN CORRESPONDENTS
London, Paris, New York, San Francisco, Tokio, Yokohama, Kobe Osaka, Berlin and Hamburg.
Correspondents at the principal cities throughout China.
Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels, Dollars, Gold Dollars, Sterling and Yen according to arrangement.
Interest allowed on Deposits at Call both in Taels and Dollars according to arrangement
Domestic and Foreign Drafts purchased and sold.
Credit granted on approved securities.
Savings accounts 4% per annum.
Every description of banking business transacted.
Modern Safe Deposit Boxes For Rent.
Shu Chin Mih, Acting Manager.
Y. S. Tung, Sub-Manager.
K. Z. Tsor, Assist. Manager.

International Banking Corporation

Capital ..... U.S. $5,000,000
Surplus and Undivided Profits .....U.S. $10,458,137

Owned by the National City Bank of New York.

Head Office:
60 WALL STREET, NEW YORK
London Office: 36 Bishopsgate, E.C.
Lyons Office: 27 Place Tolozan.

San Francisco Office:
232 Montgomery Street.

BRANCHES:

CHINA	PHILIPPINES
Shanghai	Manila
Peking	Cebu
Tientsin	
Hankow	SPAIN
Harbin	Barcelona
Hongkong	Madrid
Canton	
	STRAITS
INDIA	Singapore
Bombay	
Calcutta	DOMINICA
Rangoon	Santo Domingo
	Sanchez
JAPAN	San Francisco
Yokohama	San Pedro
Kobe	Santiago
	Puerto Plata
JAVA	Barahona
Batavia	La Vega
Soerabaya	
	PANAMA
	Panama
	Colon

We are also able to offer our Customers the services of the Branches of the National City Bank of New York in the principal countries of South America, Central America and in the West Indies.

Commercial and Travellers' Letters of Credit, Bills of Exchange and Cable Transfers bought and sold. Current Accounts opened and Fixed Deposits in local and foreign currencies taken at rates that may be ascertained on application to the Bank.

H. C. Gulland, Manager.
1A Kiukiang Road, Shanghai.

The Bank of China

(Specially authorised by Presidential Mandate of 15th April, 1915)

Authorised Capital $60,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital $12,279,800.00
Reserve Fund $2,448,700.00
Special Reserve Fund $3,534,600.00

Head Office: Peking.
Branches and Agencies:

Peking	Taiyuan	Shanghai
Tientsin	Kaifeng	Hankow
Chanchun	Wuhu	Ichang
Antung	Anking	Changsha
Dalny	Hangchow	Nanchang
Moukden	Ningpo	Kiukiang
Newchwang	Nanking	Foochow
Harbin	Chinkiang	Amoy
Kirin	Hsuchow	Canton
Tsinan	Soochow	Hongkong
Chefoo	Wusieh	Swatow
Tsingtao	Yangchow	Chungking

Foreign Correspondents:
London, Paris, Berlin, New York, San Francisco, Tokio. Osaka and Yokohama.

SHANGHAI BRANCH
3 Hankow Road.

Loans granted on approved Securities. Local Bills discounted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels or Dollars according to arrangement.

Sung Han-chang,
Manager.

Kincheng Banking Corporation 金城銀行

Sanctioned by Ministry of Finance and registered in Ministry of Agriculture and Commerce in accordance with Banking and Company Laws.

Authorised Capital ..$5,000,000
Paid-up Capital $5,000,000
Reserved Fun .....$ 600,000

Head Office: Tientsin.

Branches and Sub-Branches: Peking, Tientsin, Shanghai, Hankow, Nanking and Peng-pu.
Correspondents in all important places of the world.
President: Chow Tso Ming.
Manager, Shanghai Branch: S. Y. Tien.
Sub-Manager, Shanghai Branch: C. C. Woo.
Every description of Banking Business transacted.
Savings Accounts kept in Tientsin and Shanghai Offices.
Cable Address. "Kincheng" Shanghai.
Tel. Nos.
General Office: C. 2800
Manager's Office: C. 1350
Foreign Dept. C. 1442

Nederlandsche Handel Maatschappy

(Netherlands Trading Society)
Established 1824.

Paid-up-Capital: Guilders 80,000,000 (about £6,666,666)
Reserve Funds: Guilders 19,445,211 (about £1,620,434.)
Special Reserve: Guilders 22,660,000 (about £1,888,333)

Head Office: AMSTERDAM.
Head Agency: BATAVIA
Agencies in Holland:
THE HAGUE and ROTTERDAM

Branches

Bandjermasin	Pekalongen
Bandoeng	Palembang
Bombay	Penang
Calcutta	Pontianak
Cheriben	Rangoon
Djember	Semarang
Djokjakarta	Singapore
Hongkong	Soerabaya
Kobe	Soerakarta
Kota-Radja	Tebing-Tinggi
Langsa	Tegal
Makassar	Telok Betong
Medan	Tjilatjap
Padang	Weltevreden

London Bankers
National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd.

Correspondents at the principal places in Europe, Asia, Australia and North America.

The Bank buys, sells and receives for collection bills of exchange, issues letters of credit on its branches and correspondents and transacts banking business of every description.

Shanghai Interest Allowed on current tael accounts and fixed deposits, according to arrangement.

M. J. HERBSCHLEB,
Agent.

行銀亞東 The Bank of East Asia Ltd.

SHANGHAI BRANCH
No. 10. Kiukiang Road.

Authorised Capital $10,000,000.00
Paid up Capital.. $.5,000,000.00
Reserved Fund .. $200,000.00
HEAD OFFICE: Hongkong.
BRANCHES: Canton, Saigon.
LONDON BANKERS: London Joint City and Midland Bank.
Correspondents in all principal cities of the world. All kinds of banking business transacted.
Interest allowed on current deposits and fixed deposits.
Loans granted on approved securities.

R. CHENG,
Manager.

The Chekiang Industrial Bank, Ltd

Established 1908

Capital $2,000,000.00
Reserve Fund $206,400.00
Undivided Profits .. $120,751.00

Head Office and Branches:
Hangchow, Shanghai, Haimon, Harkow, and Lanchi.
Domestic Agencies:
Throughout CHINA'S principal Cities.
Foreign Correspondents:
London, Paris, Rotterdam, New York, Chicago, San Francisco, Hamburg, Berlin, Tokyo, Kobe, Yokohama, Osaka, Hakodate, Seoul, Fusan and Hongkong.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and fixed Deposits according to arrangements.
Saving Accounts at 4% compound interest.
Every description of Banking and Exchange transacted.

LI MING, Manager.
SHANGHAI BRANCH:
14 Hankow Road.
Tel. C. 7130, Manager's Office.
C. 7121, 7122, 7123 and 7124, General Office.
Cable Address:
"CHINDUBANK" Shanghai.

Banque De L'Indo-Chin

Francs.
Subscribed Capital 72,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital .. 68,400,000.00
Reserve Fund (1-6-20) 69,500,000.00

Head Offices:
No. 96 Boulevard Hanoomann, Paris.

Branches and Agencies:

Saigon	Pnom-Penh	Battambang
Haiphong	Hanoi	Tourane
Peking	Hankow	Tientsin
Hongkong	Canton	Mengtze
Singapore	Pondichery	Bangkok
Papeete	Shanghai	Noumea
	Djibouti	Yunnanfu

London Bankers:
The National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd.
Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris—Credit Lyonnais

The Shanghai Agency undertakes all Banking and Exchange operations; grants credits on goods and approved securities; opens current and fixed deposit accounts in taels and francs according to arrangement.

L. ARDAIN,
Manager.

Chung Foo Union Bank

(Established in 1917)
Statutes approved by the Government in 1918
Head Office: TIENTSIN

Subscribed Capital $2,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital $1,500,000.00
Reserve Fund ..... $ 180,000.00

Managing Director: T. Clarence Sun
Deputy Managing Director: Nieh Chi-wei

Branches and Agencies in Domestic Cities and Foreign Countries:

Tientsin	Chinking	Ichang	Yokohama
Shanghai	Soochow	Changsha	Chicago
Peking	Wusieh	Shasi	Philadelphia
Hankow	Hsuchow	Wuhu	Seattle
Nanking	Ningpo	London	Baltimore
Yangchow	Shaoshing	New York	Cleveland
Hangchow	Canton	San Francisco	Detroit
Pengpu	Hongkong	Boston	Buffalo
Changchun	Chengteh	Tokio	Pittsburgh
Antung	Chengchow	Osaka	Montreal
Kiukiang	Tsinkiangpu	Kobe	St. Louis
			Cincinnati

Shanghai Branch:

And also in other principal cities in foreign countries.
S 441 Ningpo Road.

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in taels, dollars, and other currencies according to arrangement.
Credits granted on approved securities.

Y. B. Sun, Manager,
T. D. Zar, Sub-Manager.

The Shanghai Commercial & Savings Bank, Ltd.

Head Offices 9 Ningpo Road

Capital $2,500,000.00
Reserve $420,000.00

Every description of modern banking and exchange business transacted—Personal, National & International.

Branches and Agencies:
In principal cities throughout China
Foreign Correspondents:

London	New York	Yokohama
Paris	Chicago	Tokyo
Marseilles	Seattle	Osaka
Amsterdam	San Francisco	Manila
Berlin	Singapore	

Cable Address: "COMSAVBANK"

K. P. CHEN,
General Manager.

EQUITABLE
Eastern Banking Corporation

Capital ..... U. S. $2,000,000
Surplus and Undivided Profits ..... U. S. $ 800,000

HEAD OFFICE:—No 37 Wall Street, New York
Members American Bankers' Association
CORRESPONDENTS:
The Equitable Trust Company of New York
NEW YORK LONDON PARIS
Mercantile Trust Co., San Francisco, Cal. The Northwestern National Bank of Portland, Ore. Citizens' National Bank, Los Angeles, Cal.

大通銀行

Shanghai Branch: 1 Kiukiang Road
Central 1164—Manager
Central 2012—General
Central 1140 (T.T. Dept.)

CURRENT AND FIXED DEPOSITS ACCEPTED
Interest rates on application
Telegraphic Transfers and Drafts bought and sold

JAS. J. ROGERS
E. C. FUNCK
Managers.

行銀業工

Head Office: Hongkong. Branch Office: Hankow.

The Industrial & Commercial Bank, Ltd.

Shanghai Branch
51 Kiangse Road

Every description of banking transacted. Correspondents in China and abroad.

Telegraphic Address: "KONGSHAN."

Tel. Nos. C. 3204, 5816 and 6552.

CHU KINHOW, Manager.
Shanghai Branch.

Commercial Bank of China

Head Office: SHANGHAI.

Sh. Tls.
Subscribed Capital 5,000,000
Paid-Up Capital 2,500,000

Advances made on approved securities. Bills discounted.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts at 2 per cent per annum on daily balance. On Fixed deposits:
For 3 months at 3% per annum
For 6 months at 4% per annum
For 12 months at 5% per annum
On deposits in Dollars according to arrangement.

H. C. MARSHALL,
Chief Manager.

THE SHANGHAI INDUSTRIAL BANKING CORPORATION

Head Office: SHANGHAI.
Branch: 17 & 18 Kiukiang Road
Capital $1,000,000
Paid-up ..... $ 250,000
Fixed Deposit Capital .. $ 500,000
Domestic Agencies
In principal commercial centres in China.
Foreign Correspondence
In all important places of the world.
General Banking, Business every description transacted.
Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits according to arrangements.
Savings Accounts at 5% compound interest.
Special Saving Accounts for Laborers.
ROBERT LEE, Gen. Manager.
K. L. SUNG, Manager.
S. Y. FONG, Sub-Manager.
Cable Address: "BANKSIBCO"
Tel. C. 7207, Manager's Office.
C. 6415, Foreign Dept.
C. 6414, General Office.

SINO-ITALIAN BANK.

Aut. Cap. Silver Dollars. 4,800,000
Aut. Cap. Gold It. Lire 16,000,000
Paid up Capital ..Silver $1,200,000
Paid up Cap. Gold It. Lire 4,000,000
Reserves Silver $100,000
Head Office: Shanghai.
Branches:
Hankow, Peking, Shai, Tientsin
Bankers:
Italy: Credito Italiano.
England: Credito Italiano, National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ld., Glyn Mills and Currie.
France: Banque Francaise et Italienne pour l'Amerique du Sud Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris Bansue Italo Belge
United States: Credito Italiano Equitable Trust Company.
Canada: Canadian Bank of Commerce.
South America: Banca Italo Belge
Switzerland: Banca Unione di Credito.
Banque Commerciale de le Bale
Len & Co.'s Bank.
Banca Unione de Credito.
Belgium—Credit General Liegeois
Current, fixed and savings accounts carried in Taels, Dollars, Sterling, U.S. Gold, Italian Lire, Francs and other currencies. Terms on application.
General banking business transacted. Special facilities for Italian exchange.
Telegraphic Address: Sinit
SHANGHAI, No. 16 Kiukiang Rd
Tel. C. Nos. 5090 and 5091,
Managers' Office Central 3022.
C. MARMONT,
CHIN YU SHU,
General Managers.

The Small Investors' Co.

Shanghai, December 15, 1922
BUSINESS REPORTED

Shanghai Docks	Tls. 93.50
	Tls. 94.00
Anglo-Javas	Tls. 6.00
New Engineering Pref.	Tls. 5.35
Langkats	Tls. 17.50
Chemors	Tls. 0.80
Dominions	Tls. 1.80
Sungei Duri	Tls. 7.25
Kedahs	Tls. 0.82½

Launch Services

TODAY

The tender conveying passengers and baggage on board the N.Y.K. s.s. Kitano Maru, for European ports will leave the Customs Jetty at 10:30 a.m.

TOMORROW

The tender Alexandra conveying passengers and mail on board the C.P.S. s.s. Empress of Asia, for Manila and Hongkong will leave the Customs Jetty at 5 p.m.

Tuesday, December 19, 1922

The tender Gutzloff conveying passengers and baggage on board the P. & O. s.s. Sicilia, for Bombay will leave the Customs Jtty at 9:30 a.m.

Weather Report

Dec. 14.—Two anticyclones: one over Manchuria: the other over central China. A small depression is crossing the Eastern Sea NEward Variable winds in the South. Small cyclonic circulation over our regions and over the Eastern Sea. Overcast and mild weather, with some rain in the morning in our regions. Snow or rain in Chihli.

Dec. 15.—Cloudy and colder weather. The pressure is increasing rather quickly and the wind is freshening with some NWly squalls.

'Times' Advocates Remission Of Boxer Fund For Education

(Reuter's Service)

London, Dec. 14.—The Times gives prominence to a despatch from its Peking correspondent strongly urging that Britain should remit the Boxer Indemnity and devote it to Chinese education.

The correspondent declares that it is impossible for Britain to continue to take what the United States, France and Japan are relinquishing.

"The sacrifice would be trifling as compared with what we vainly spend elsewhere because it is plain that we can do good with the money to ourselves and to others. Indeed, he continues if we do not make a sacrifice, we are likely to suffer heavily in the competition for the trade and goodwill of the biggest trading community in the world.

"We are doing nothing directly to secure the maintenance of British influence among the Chinese while Japan, America and France are engaging in a great propaganda campaign with money drawn from China. Plainly we cannot continue to put in our pockets what others are spending on good works."

INSPECTS TROOPS

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Dec. 12.—An inspection of General Feng Yu-hsiang's troops at Nanyuan was held by President Li Yuan-hung at ten o'clock this morning. President Li left his residence in Tung Chan Hutung at nine o'clock, travelling by motor to Nanyuan, and returned to Peking at two this afternoon. He was accompanied by General Yin Chang, his Chief Aide-de-Camp and General Chin Yung-yen, the Vice-Minister of War. The route along which His Excellency's car passed was guarded by police and gendarmerie.

STRIKES IN RUSSIA

(Reuter's Service)

Riga, Dec. 14.—A message from Moscow stated that on account of the non-payment of wages strikes have broken out in Petrograd and Kharkoief and in the Ural and Don regions. Seventy-three thousand unemployed are registered at Petrograd and large numbers elsewhere are rapidly increasing. Thousands are suffering from

Financial And Commercial News The World's Markets

Money Exchange

Shanghai, December 15, 1922

Mexican Dollars
Market 72.8625
Native Interest 07
Shanghai Gold Bars 978
Touch 334
Copper Cash 339.000
Bar Silver 30⅛

Bar London rate
Paris on London 64.50
New York on London ..463¼

Banks Opening Selling Rates
London
Telegraphic Transfer.. 3s. 1d.
Demand ..... 3s. 1⅛d.

New York
Telegraphic Transfer ... 71½
Demand 71¾

OPENING RATES
Hongkong and Shanghai Ban
Opening quotations 9:30 a.m.

BANKS SELLING RATES
London (T.T.) 3/1
London (Demand) ... 3/1⅛
London 4 m-s 3/1¼
India (T.T.) 231¼
France (T.T.) 995
America (T.T.) 71½
Hongkong (T.T.) 75¼
Japan (T.T.) 68½
Batavia (T.T.) 183
Straits (T.T.) 78

BANKS BUYING RATE
London 4 m-s Credits.. 3/2⅛
London 4 m-s Docts .. 3/2¾
London 6 m-s Credits.. 3/3
London 6 m-s Docts....
France 4 m-s 1045
America 4 m-s L/c 75
Docs 75½

CUSTOMS HOUSE EXCHANGE RATES FOR DECEMBER
Hk. Tls. 5.61 @ 3s. 2 9/16d. £1
„ 1.25 @ 71⅞ Gold $1
„ 1 @ 1058 Fr. 11.79
„ 1 @ — Marks —
„ 1 @ 71⅛ Yen 1.57
„ 1 @ 241⅛ Rupees 2.69
„ 1 @ — Roubles —
„ 1 @ 1.50 Mex. $1.50
„ 1 @ 15.85 Ital. Lira 17.66

Gold Dollars: Bank Buying Rates
@ 72=Tls. 138.89
@ exch. 73.1=Mex. $190.00

Sovereign Bank Buying Rate
@ 3s. 1⅛d.=Tls. 6.45
@ exch. 73.1=Mex. $8.82

International Banking Corporation
CLOSING COUNTER RATES
Demand selling on America 71
Demand buying on America 72
Demand selling on London 3s. 0½d.
Demand buying on London 3s. 1⅛d.

GOLD BAR QUOTATIONS

334.50	334.00
334.30	333.70
334.50	333.40
334.30	333.70
334.50	333.20
334.70	333.40
334.90	333.10
334.40	333.40
333.80	333.70
334.50	334.00
334.10	334.30
333.90	334.50
334.20	334.70
333.90	334.40
334.30	334.10
333.80	333.50
333.70	333.80
333.60	333.90
333.70	closed

ROUBLE EXCHANGE
BANK'S BUYING RATE
Roubles 370,000 .....Tls. 100
Roubles 100 .....Mex. $0.04

SINO-ITALIAN BANK
BANK'S SELLING RATES
It. Lire 13.80=1 Tael
Swiss Frs. 3.60=1 Tael
Marks 4200=1 Tael
Equivalent Foreign Quotations
It. Lire 92.70=1 Pound Sterling
It. Lire 19.95=1 U. S. Dollar
It. Lire 144.15=100 Fr. Francs

LONDON PARIS RATE
Paris, December 14.—The Paris London crossrate is quoted today at: £1—64.50 francs.

Shanghai Sharebrokers Association
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Shanghai, December 15, 1922

OFFICIAL
H. & S. Banks $985.00

UNOFFICIAL
Klebongs Tls. 0.50
Tls. 0.55
Kotas Tls. 0.95
Kedahs Tls. 0.85
Senawangs Tls. 1.05
S. M. C. 6% Debs. 1916
Tls. 98.00
Orientals Tls. 8.50 Dec.
New Eng. (Ord.) Tls. 8.45 Feb.

Exchange Fluctuations

Asia Banking Corporation

December 15, 1922

Spot and forward bar silver were unchanged in London yesterday. The New York price declined to 63½ Cents and the London-New York cross rate improved to 464⅛. The only changes in our official quotations here today were a drop in the Yen rate to 68½ and in the Franc rate to 995.

Our market throughout the morning was about steady, there being sellers of Sterling at 3s. 0 3/16d. for December delivery, 3s. 0 5/16d. for January and 3s. 0 7/16d. for March.

There were sellers of Gold Dollars at 71⅜ December, 71⅛ for January and 71 for forward delivery.

In the afternoon, however, the marked eased off and at the close there were no sellers of Sterling at better than 3s. 0 5/16d. December, 3s. 0 7/16d. January and 3s. 0d. March, with good buyers 1/16d. above these rates.

There were sellers of Gold Dollars at the close at 71¼ for December, 71 for January and 70⅝ for forward delivery.

There were Yen sellers at the close at 68½ for December delivery and buyers at 68¼. There were buyers for March delivery at 69½.

Banks were quoting 3s. 1 7/16d. for Sterling bills, 73¼ for Gold Dollar bills and 1030 for Franc bills.

There was little doing in the London silver market yesterday which is reported as uncertain.

New York report their market as easy with sellers at the official rate.

Stock Exchange

Transactions

TODAY'S QUOTATIONS
Shanghai, December 15, 1922

OFFICIAL
S'hai Waterworks 7% Debs. 1922 Tls. 105.00
New Eng. (Pref.) Tls. 5.35
Shanghai Docks Tls. 96.00
Ewo Mills (Ord.) Tls. 13.50 Mar.
Shanghai Lands Tls. 101.00
Langkats (Comb.) Tls. 17.50
Almas Tls. 6.00
Anglo Javas Tls. 6.00
Amherst Tls. 0.35
Chemors Tls. 0.75
Dominions Tls. 1.70
Kedah Tls. 0.82½
Samagagas Tls. 0.52½
Taipings Tls. 0.35

UNOFFICIAL
Ewo Mills (Ord.) Tls. 13.15 Dec.
Anglo Javas Tls. 6.00
Anglo Dutch Tls. 3.05
Batu Anams Tls. 0.70
Chemors Tls. 0.80
Java Consolidated Tls. 10.50
Fermatas Tls. 1.30
Semambus Tls. 0.95
Sua Manggis Tls. 3.15
Sungei Duri Tls. 7.25

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16 Canton Road. Shanghai

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By using Anthracite Coal.
Mr. Charles F. Hauss
Far Eastern Representative of
The National Radiator Company, Ltd.
Hull, Yorkshire, England.
The American Radiator Co., New York.
Recommends the use of
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For use in all patterns of their
IDEAL
Steam and Hot Water Heating Boilers.
Fu Chung Corporation
Tel. C. 1371 4 Avenue Edward VII

Weekly Review Of Shanghai Markets

BY DAVID ARAKIE
(Financial Editor)

The week has not been without some significant happenings in the market of Shanghai. A few occurrences of importance have to be recorded.

The produce markets here have been fairly active in certain sections, but it is a pity that prices in Shanghai are so much higher than what purchasers in Europe and in the United States are willing to concede. A great many orders could be converted into profitable transactions if only one of the two sides would give in. But in the case of China products the gap is a big one, and the Chinese dealer is not at all keen to skip so far. The whole question then, it would seem, resolves itself into one of Exchange fluctuations. Should Exchange rise then the possibilities of bringing all this business to book that has been hanging fire are bright. Stocks of many Chinese products appear to have been exhausted and the inquiries for them cannot be "Cashed." The Japanese are still one of the principal operators in the Shanghai produce market, and a good deal of inquiry has been coming from Japan and contracts close.

Like Oliver Twist, Chekiang inhabitants are still calling for more rice, and in spite of the heavy arrival of the cereal from Japan and also from Rangoon, it would seem that the demand has hardly been satisfied. Orders have been booked this week with Rangoon firms for the despatch to Shanghai of some 15,000 bags of rice. This is not the first order that has gone in recent months to Rangoon. A similar large order was recorded last week. Shanghai is now the dumping ground for the Japanese rice merchants, who are taking advantage of the activity in the rice market here and sending down their holdings to Japanese hongs to be sold on the spot to the highest bidders.

The Shanghai rice market is extremely active. There is no abatement of the demand that set in a couple of months ago. Owing to the Japanese rice market being weak, supplies have been sent to Shanghai to be sold on the spot. These supplies which have been arriving were sold immediately on their arrival here, the principal purchasers being the merchants from Chekiang Province. Tientsin, which has been buying the better grades, has been out of the market this week.

This week some 30,000 bags of rice arrived from Japan and found ready buyers in Shanghai at about Tls. 3.95 per picul. Further consignments are expected next week, and as these prices are lower than at present prevailing for Saigon and Bangkok rice in the producing markets, these should be ready buyers for the lots.

New business in Rangoon rice was transpired this week to the extent of some 10,000 to 15,000 bags, at prices ranging from Tls. 4.20 to Tls. 4.30 per picul, cif Shanghai, delivery March to May next year.

No. 1 rice is quoted at $9.50 per picul, No. 1 Saigon at $4.30 per picul and Honan rice at $8.50 per one-and-a-half piculs. The arrivals of Honan rice have fallen off, this week's consignments to the Shanghai market from the province of Honan being some 5,000 to 10,000 bags. Chekiang has been the principal buyer of this rice as well.

The rise in the price of Manchurian wheat has killed whatever likelihood there was of the Shanghai flour mills sending orders to that country for supplies. Manchurian wheat is only ten cents cheaper per picul than American wheat, and the flour mills in Shanghai are awaiting a fall in the rate of American wheat to place large orders once again with American farmers.

The silk market, for want of sustenance in the way of orders from the United States and France, has been languishing during the week, but has been prevented from making a scandal of itself by any sharp fall owing to the fact that supplies here and in the districts are small.

Iron and steel goods show an extremely weak front. Japan has been drawing upon Shanghai for supplies of zinc scrap and waste.

WHEAT—FLOUR

Further arrivals of American wheat have to be reported. This week the Pacific Coast vessels delivered here 4,000 tons of wheat and 2,000 tons of flour. All this was against contracts entered into previously.

As fresh business has been greatly restricted in American flour and wheat, future shipments of both these commodities from the United States will be very small, unless the price decline to permit of the Shanghai mills to buy same.

Manchurian wheat, which was cheaper than American wheat, has gone up, and at present there is a very small difference in price. American wheat is quoted at G.$47 cif per ton Shanghai which, converted into local currency, works out to Tls. 4.30 per picul, against the ruling rate of Tls. 4.30 per picul for Manchurian wheat. With any slight decline in the price of the American wheat business should be consummated with the Pacific Coast houses.

The Shanghai flour market is a little weak, and the price has declined to Tls. 1.10 per sack. No new business in imported flour or wheat is reported this week.

Arrivals of Chinese wheat from the interior to the Shanghai market have been sparse.

YARN COTTON

The market during the week for manufactured yarn and for cotton has been very firm. There has been very little change in prices, but the undertone is one of strength.

The Szechuen merchants were in the market for yarn and bought this week some 5,000 bales, principally of the 14, 20, and 10 counts and extremely little of the 16 count.

The week's transactions in yarn comprised some 10,000 bales, of which Szechuen took half and the balance by Kiangse, Canton, Fukien and other places.

The decision of the Chinese cotton millowners to restrict their output by twenty-five percent has had the effect of introducing a steadier tone to the market. The price of yarn is not expected to bounce much. Although the interior markets are bare of stocks it would seem they are not anxious to buy.

Yesterday's closing quotations for yarn were as follows: 16s, from Tls. 126 to Tls. 134, 20s, from Tls. 140 to Tls. 150, and 14s, from Tls. 130 to Tls. 132.

The stock in the hands of the mills is estimated at about 30,000 to 40,000 bales, comprising mostly 16s.

Sampin has been steady during the period under review, with little violent change. Prices are: yen 207 for December, yen 219 for January, yen 213 for February, yen 216 for March, yen 220 for April and yen 219 for May.

As in the case of cotton yarn there has been no remarkable change in the China cotton market this week. Chinese cotton is up a tael compared with last week, in sympathy with the rise in the price of the American staple, which registered an advance of 80 points.

Arrivals of Chinese cotton are not large, those from Tungchow being about 1,000 to 2,000 bales

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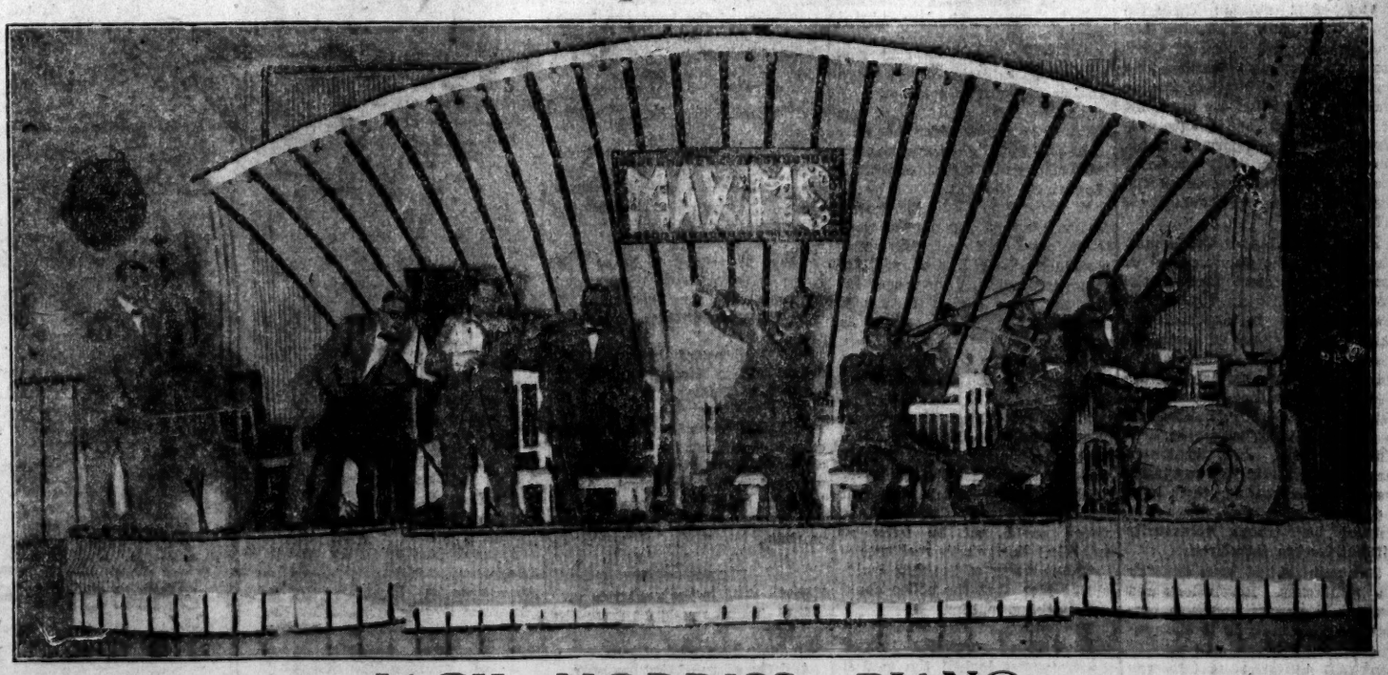
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WEATHER

Fine weather and sharp cold. Fresh winter monsoon all along the China coast.

For Peace And Progress In China

A MOVEMENT which may prove to be the turning point towards the salvation of China was inaugurated in Shanghai yesterday at the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce. An important group of leaders in commerce and education met to discuss the present political situation and decided upon a campaign with three aims: disarmament, supervision of finance and enactment of a constitution. This group has invited important recognised local bodies to join with it in future deliberations, which will be held on Wednesdays and Fridays.

The committee sent out three telegrams, one to the administrative authorities in Peking, declaring its purpose and urging them to be aroused to the spirit of self-determination, another to the Tuchuns and Super-tuchuns on disarmament while the third which went to Parliament dwelt on the importance of the immediate enactment of a National Constitution.

Much fine language has been used in advocacy of these three ideals by scholars, merchants and foreigners and even militarists in China. It will be remembered Generals Wu Pei-fu and Lu Yung-hsiang were the first tuchuns to endorse these principles. When the Associated Provincial Educational Association and the Union of the Chambers of Commerce held their joint conference in Shanghai a year ago last October, these principles were enunciated and telegraphed broadcast.

Again at the Conference on National Affairs here this year, the principles were again considered essential to the salvation of the Republic and resolutions to this effect were passed and forwarded to the executive, military and legislative authorities.

The first foreign concerted action was taken in Hankow last month when the Union of Chinese Chambers was in session, as a result of the banditry in Honan. Due to the fact that the questions of constitution and finance concerned Chinese domestic affairs, the participants only expressed themselves on the matter of disarmament, and that even in a delicate way.

At the Washington Conference, China had the distinction of having the biggest army in the world. The other eight powers at first proposed to take some definite steps by way of curtailing the soldiery. But when it was pointed out, very cleverly by the Chinese delegates, that it was China's own lookout if she cared to go bankrupt by incurring military expenses, they contented themselves merely by passing a resolution expressing their hope and expectation that China will disband her troops voluntarily without foreign interference.

But nothing had been done by the militarists. Resolutions and circular telegrams and even personal appeals have up to the present failed to arouse the government and militarists to take any specific action in those directions.

The patience of the Chinese has at last been exhausted and a strong body of leaders has decided to take some concerted action. Although their aims and purposes have been set out in the three telegrams of yesterday, these leaders will not, we believe, stop here as they have stopped on former occasions. A definite program to carry out these three aspirations will be drawn up at subsequent meetings. There will be a second step, a third, perhaps a fourth! And if the militarists choose to maintain their intolerable attitude there will be a final step, we understand. It is premature to discuss or even to disclose the nature of these steps for the present, but the public is promised that a determined effort will be made by the foremost leaders in commerce and education to solve the political muddle.

It is futile to reason with the militarist for the present. Wu Pei-fu says he will disarm if Chang Tso-lin disarms, while Chang Tso-lin will promise to retire if Wu is thrown out of power. Every militarist has his personal friends and enemies. The whole system, or lack of system, tends to increase the number of bandit-soldiers every day—and already we have one million six hundred thousand of them. All idle people join the army because they are assured of food and clothing, and, often, wages. When the wage is not forthcoming, they loot a city and turn bandits. The authorities make peace with them again by paying their wages and convert them to soldiers again. And so the vicious circle of bandit-soldiery rolls on, tearing men, women and children away from their homes and destroying the very shelters erected for their safety.

Meanwhile, informal overtures have been made to the local foreign interests, which have taken the very correct attitude of refraining from any active part but will, it is understood, endorse all reasonable campaigns which may be instituted by the Chinese leaders.

The future "steps" may call for some sacrifice on the part of the foreigners, we are told. They may even mean a temporary dislocation of business. They may cause a great deal of inconvenience. But these may not be necessary, if all residents in China, Chinese and foreign alike, co-operate in the attempt of the leaders to right the wrong and give them their whole-hearted support so that their aspirations may be realised at an early date.

Correspondence

UNCLOTHED STATUETTES

Dear Sir.—Here are some facts in which you may be interested. Two ladies were admiring the beautiful porcelain kingfishers in a Shanghai shop window.

Said one, "I'd rather have this than that poor little Venus de Medici shivering over yonder."

"And I!" exclaimed the other. "I wish they would not put such things in the windows. It gives me the shivers to see them:"

"Why don't you tell them that? Come in with me and I will speak about it."

After admiring some very beautiful things inside she got the ear of the manager and said that she felt that the great beauty of the shop was marred by having unclothed statuettes in the windows. He demurred.

"Of course they are works of art," she cried. "I admire them greatly—in the right place. The point is that they are too sacred to be shown to hoi polloi. Also it makes one shiver just to see them out there, with only a sheet of glass between them and the blasts of Boreas and the cold and vulgar gaze of low-minded people."

When he demurred still further, she said she would get a woman of another nationality to speak to him. On meeting one she put the matter before her only to be told that her hearer was not interested and did not care what the Chinese thought.

"I remember," said the second woman, "when my mother went home, our boy draped with gauze a statuette we had of a nude, because he thought it not proper for me to see. What's the use of fussing? You can't corrupt a moral person."

"Perhaps not, but you can help an unmoral one to become immoral."

The interested lady then reported the matter to the police, who, though all sympathy, said there was no law against the display of "works of art" which were not indecent pictures. (As though a statue could not be twice as seductive, through its realism!)

The manager of the shop derided the idea that the police could say anything to him.

The editor of our widest circulated paper suggested that if the statuettes looked too cold it might be a good idea to send them to a warmer place.

"There are 300 more cases of these things still unpacked, so you may as well give the matter up," said the shopman at a later appeal.

Someone said today that Aristotle, when asked to legislate against marital infidelity, said that such a thing was unknown in Athens.

Another retorted that possibly they did not know what morality was. Someone else suggested that perhaps by constant exposure of the "human form divine" we might become hardened, as we had become used to the sight of the nether parts of it, once referred to only with bated breath as "limbs." Perhaps we had better start at once.

Whereupon the hostess dropped her frock and did her "Walter Camp exercises" in her slip.

Can we not have some more opinions on this subject? No one wants to be thought a prude, though everyone apparently draws the line somewhere. Yours for a clean country.

Rismet of the K. K. K.

The world's all wrong, all wrong! Late commercial reports from the United States say they're shipping spaghetti to Italy.

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We haven't been keeping tab on the thing but it seems to us that the Kaiser's little story will begin to get interesting when he pulls that boner about eatin' Xmas dinner in Paris.

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PA JONGG SEZ:

"An undertaker in Indiana has just been named arbitrator in a wage dispute and Miss Ima Hoot Nanny sez he otta be able to bury the hatchet alright, alright.

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Anyway, you never can nail a lie fas' enough to keep it from travelling faster.

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REMARKABLE REMARKS

"A fool's paradise is better than no paradise at all."—Duncan Swann.

"Maybe one reason Germany hates to pay out that reparations money is that she needs it to prepare for her next war."—Don Marquis.

"The Washington Conference was the first international gathering that China ever attended where China was not forced to give up something."—Dr. Alfred Sze.

"You are Christians, but not Christlike. That is the difference."—Bruce Lockhart, to the Moral Welfare League.

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Here is a truth which all must know,
It's plain to all beholders;
Some folks are very strong below
And some above the shoulders.

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A mad wag is old Pa Jongg. When Ma was using his safety razor blade to do some ripping with. "Don't dull it," sez the old reprobate, "for be sure, my chin will find you out."

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And speakin' of wags. When the big leaguers were being autoed past the Race Club yesterday on their rubber-necking expedition one of the guides informed Joe Bush that it was the place they'd be playing ball today.

"But there's a building (the Cricket Club) out there!" Bush exclaimed.

"What's that got to do with it?"

"Some of the boys are liable to bust all the windows," Bush replied naively.

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WITHOUT COMMENT!

(A news item from the New York papers)

"Wall Street's recovery from the financial slump of the last year points to a liberal distribution of bonuses and gratituities to employes at Christmas."

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Those 22 wagon loads of flour being smuggled into Poland were very probably only going to be used to polish off their Diet with.

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The President of Uruguay fought a duel with a Senor yesterday, according to Reuter, but neither of them was wounded. Which reminds us of Mark Twain's comment on ye olde duels in France. He claimed he was the only man ever wounded in a French duel. As an innocent spectator on one occasion one of the duelists slipped and fell on him.

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RETROSPECT

I was a child in the garden—
Cold 'round my heart grew the fear
Of a little blue wisp of heaven
And the glory of God too near.

Louder the wind made music,
Close to the earth I pressed—
If He should send black fury
Out of that white cloud, west!

If He should speak in thunder!
Dizzy the moments whirled—
Ah, I must run from the garden,
Back to a peopled world.

That was a childish fancy;
Now I am older far,
Bent with the weight of sorrow,
Bruised by the pride of war.

Now to the garden, coming
Back from a world of men,
Long in the hush I linger,
Cheek to the earth, as then.

I am an old man drinking
Deep of a new found bliss—
Life is a wise, kind teacher,
Molding youth's fear to this.

—HELEN FRAZEE-BOWER

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You're right, Little Garlic-san, no woman ought to endure a man who grabs the lion's share of the mirror at home, and most of the attention in public.

Larry

Christmas Stories By Shanghai Children

Some Present

BY HAROLD N. BREWSTER
(Age 16)

It was about ten minutes before breakfast time of a bright November morning that our story commences. David Rickard and his room-mate Howard Powell had just finished their dressing when Howard suggested that they go over to the dining room early to read the paper. David assented to this proposal so the two boys sauntered over. The boys of course turned to the sporting news first. Having found to their satisfaction the scores of the various American football games they turned to the far less important front page, there to trace the latest actions of the Kemalists and the most recent development of the murder case.

"Say!" exclaimed Howard, "the China Press is having their annual Christmas story contest again this year. Darn it, I'm over age. You're going in for it, aren't you, Dave?"

"Yea, I guess so," replied Dave indifferently.

"You don't seem over enthused by it. With your literary abilities I should think you'd be thankful for the chance to win twenty-five iron men, besides the distinction it would bring you."

"Awe nix on that flattery stuff! Sure I'll write a story but I have not a chance of winning. This will make the third of these contests I've entered and I haven't even had my contribution published."

That same morning Mr. Nicholas, the English teacher, announced that all those who were eligible and wished to do so could enter the contest and that they would have the English recitation periods for the writing of the stories. This of course pleased everybody, especially the boys.

David then commenced the laborious task of thinking of a suitable plot. "All the plots are so worn out! The little beggar boy who got a Christmas after all; the little lama priest; the poor little Russian refugee children; the spoiled rich boy; all of these have been written on every year for time immemorial. What can be left that's original, that can be made interesting, and the scene of which can be laid in China? Every time I try to write of a Chinese person the character is unnatural and over drawn. It takes a person that hasn't lived in China all his life to see anything romantic about the ordinary every day Chinese." All of this Dave was confiding to his room-mate the following night after two long hours of pencil chewing; hair and paper crumpling; and hard concentration but with no inspirations that lasted.

After several days of this Dave at last hit upon a plot that seemed just a degree better than the rest. Having selected a plot he began to rack his brain for a place to start. After five or six futile attempts he found his opening and commenced the real writing of the story. By this time it was the seventh of December and the stories had to be in on the eighth. David finished his first draft the evening of the seventh during study-hall. He decided to get up early the next morning to make his final copy. Just before going to bed however he read his story over again. A sudden feeling of disgust at the whole business swept over him. "Oh, what's the use? If I did get the thing published I'd be attacked to a slushy, sentimental thing like that!"—with that he crumpled his manuscript up and flung it into the waste-paper basket. Howard smiled quietly at this but said nothing. David tried to dismiss the matter from his mind.

Christmas vacation soon arrived and David who lived far in the interior went to Howard's to spend the two weeks. The days before Christmas flew by quickly for the boys, who were having great fun hunting and eating great quantities of genuine "home-grub." Christmas Day arrived with all its cheer and gladness. There was the usual Christmas tree after breakfast when all opened up their presents at the same time. In the evening there was the glorious Christmas dinner. After dinner the mail-man came in bringing Shanghai mail. Howard eagerly opened up the China Press "Christmas Edition" and turning to the story page eagerly read the name of the winner of the first prize. There staring up at him were the following words:

'David Richard, Age 16. First Prize.'

Just then David came up and glancing over Howard's shoulder read the astonishing news. For a moment he was too surprised to utter a sound then he broke forth: "What the heck—how the deuce did that happen? There must be some mistake, I didn't hand mine in. Somebody must have put my name to his story, but no, its the one I wrote! Do you know anything about it, Howard."

"Why how should I know?" said that personage, trying to look innocent.

David looked at him quite steadily for a moment, a growing suspicion coming over him. "You do too know, you old bum you!" he cried, affectionatly pushing him onto the sofa and sitting on his head.

"Ouch! let me up and I'll tell you. Anything to get from under an ice-wagon like you!"

Briefly this is what happened:

The morning after David had thrown his paper away, Howard went to the wastepaper basket and after pawing around in its depths for a few moments found David's story. He smoothed out its crumpled pages and read it through. Although the plot was not very new, Howard saw that the details were very well worked out and that the style was beautiful in its simplicity. He realised that the work was really a very good one and had an excellent chance of being published if it did not win the prize. He then quickly took out his type-writer and copied the story, placing David's name, age and address at the end. Having no more classes that morning he jumped on his wheel and rode down to the China Press office arriving there just before noon. The result of this very wise and generous act we have already seen.

At the conclusion of the narative David extended his hand eagerly toward his friend's and gave it a hearty clasp.

"Howard old boy, you sure have given me some present!" was all he could think of in his boyish gratitude.

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An Angel Sister

BY TOMEKICHI AZUMAYA
(Age 16)

I have just completed my eleventh year and am now a happy but solitary boy at my humble home here in Shanghai. It was some six years ago that I was sent to my aunt's to live with her who lived in the country in a certain district

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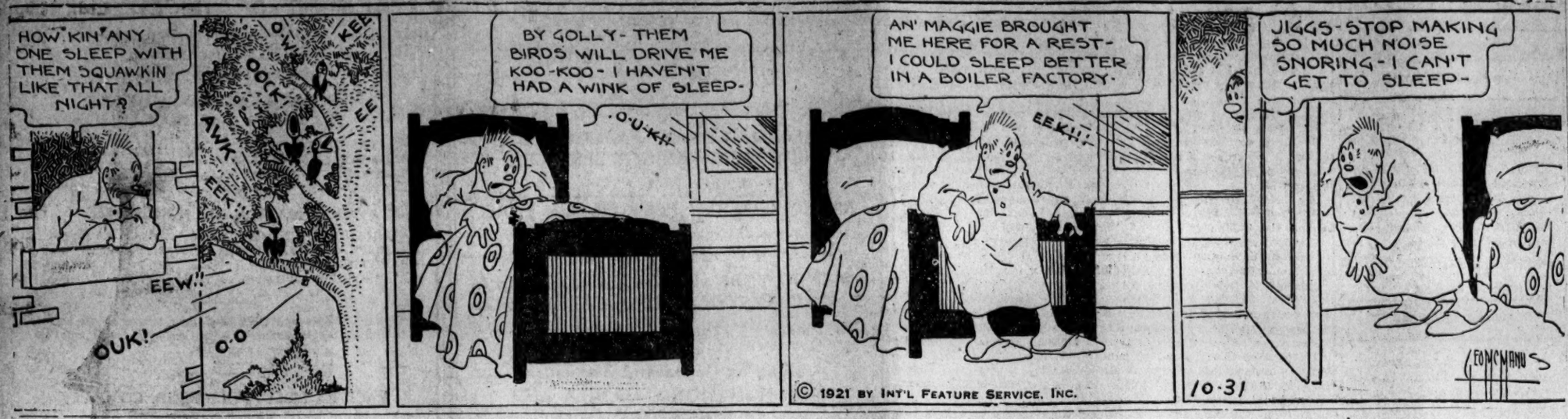
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GEO MCMANUS

Christmas Stories By Shanghai Children

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of Kyushu, Japan, while my parents left Japan and came over to Shanghai to make money as they told me at that time. One day when some six months had elapsed since my parents' departure my kind aunt told me that a baby was born between them, whom they christened Hanako after my aunt's name. She was so glad of it that at my ardent request she wrote a long, long letter asking my parents to bring my newly born sister to our home. My desire to see my only sister, however, was destined to be denied for a long time until at last I myself was called to Shanghai just a few months before last year's Christmas to help my father in his grocery business in Hongkew here.

I never fancied that my unknown sister had grown so nice and good-mannered as I found her to be of our first meeting a year ago. Our pure love and sincere joy at the first sight of each other was quite mutual and instantaneous. I compared her with my little friends I had left in Japan and felt so proud of my graceful sister that my first letter to my aunt contained nothing but praises of her. She was clean and neat and, a mere child as she was, she behaved like a young lady of good manners. I had never known any such a well-bred child as she in my native place. She taught me how to pray when we went to bed together that first night and I was ashamed at my ignorance for the first time in my life when she asked me who Christ was. We could not sleep for a long time and she told me stories of Santa Claus and the Christmas tree. I shall never forget that first sweet dream of mine intermixed with that of my dear little sister clasping each other in our common bed.?

I had neither heard my father say grace at meals nor known him bless me before going to bed while we were in Japan. Now everything seemed to be changed in this new household. Peace and joy prevailed every corner of the house where my angel sister sojourned as if to guard us from evils. I remembered how often brothers and sisters used to quarrel over trifles at my native place and I was sincerely thankful to God whom my sister loved so dearly.

My little sister said to me one evening, "Dear brother, six weeks more and we shall have our merry Christmas. We shall then go to church together and see the beautiful trees there and fine toys will be distributed among us." She continued after a pause, "Have you ever got any Christmas present?"

When I answered in the negative she said somewhat disappointed, "Probably because you were not baptised yet. Our Santa Claus does not much care for those who are not Christians."

"Then I fear I shall not be entitled to receive any Christmas present even this year," cried I in a lamentable tone.

"No, indeed; you must ask father to have you baptised before Christmas," was the sympathetic answer.

So the next morning I asked father to get me baptised as soon as possible, which made him very glad. I was soon admitted into the church as its member after a solemn ceremony and was very much delighted at the anticipation of the coming Christmas.

During the daytime I had to help my poor father in the shop as I do even now. But I was quite satisfied with my new work. While I was busy serving my customers I felt a kind of pride in my heart as I was sure that I was doing ssmething good for my father to support my family. I began to feel much manlier now than while I was but a helpless boy taken care of by my kind aunt. And when our shop was closed for the day and after our frugal supper, sister and I were allowed to retire into our small sanctuary which my sister took pains to make as much nice and snug for me as her little hands were able to manage. Our little hearts joined together in our innocent prayer to God for his protection through the night. We used to lie long awake embracing each other as if to get warmth by doing so.

It was the sweetest, almost sacred hour for both of us. We thus talked late into night of Santa Claus whom my sister delineated as an old, mysterious, kind hearted man who would visit us on the Eve of Christmas and leave some nice things for us. I would never have believed the story if my angel sister, who is, alas! now sleeping in the Heaven, had not assured me with such zeal as she used to show me whenever she talked of anything concerning God. May her peaceful soul be rested in her eternal sleep with God! So pure, so calm yet so inspiring in her life!!

I never expected that last year's Christmas was the first and last one that we should ever be allowed to enjoy together upon this earth as much as she herself must have been innocent of it. How delighted and expectant we were when we lay embraced in our bed as usual on the Eve of Christmas at last! My sister wished me a good sleep and was soon asleep. I kept awake the while, very much curious to know when Santa Claus would pay us his nightly visit. I tried to breathe as much quiet and regular as I was able to control my little throbbing heart lest I should disturb my sister's pleasant dream when slumber crept over me at last.

My sister was the first to awake at daybreak who shook me gently so that we might get up together. Having put on our clothes she took me by the hand and led me to a small table that stood in a corner of the room. It was indeed my pleasant surprise to find a pair of big stockings on the table filled with various kinds of toys. A cry of joy broke forth from me almost involuntarily. She was equally delighted but, as it seems to me the more so now that she is gone, not so much for Santa Claus's presents as for the very joy I expressed in my happy cry. We both hesitated to choose between us but it was not for ourselves as I used to see them do in my native place whenever they had anything to divide among them but just for the reverse reason. She took up at length the one that seemed to me the better of the two and handed it over to me, saying, "Dear brother, this seems more suitable to be given to you for the good work you have done for our poor father, as it must have been intended by our kind Santa Claus himself when he left them here last night."

I was so much struck by her generous heart and her gentle but firm tone of voice that I had no mind to contradict her just then though I felt sure that I never deserved it. O my God, why hast thou taken my only sister away from me so soon?

How well I remember that Christmas evening when she sang so sweetly at the church in her lovely voice with a smile on her rosy lips. It is as vivid as if it were yesterday. We had neither turkey nor such delicacies as the more fortunate ones were allowed to indulge by their warm hearths, but we were as happy as any of them when our kind pastor distributed his presents among us at the close of the services.

Christmas will soon be here again and Santa Claus will also visit us with his unfailing gifts to make us glad. But I shall never be able to share them with my dear, dear sister who is now an angel up above in Heaven!

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HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. LOONGWO, 3,925 Tons, Captain Scurr, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Tuesday, December 19, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone: Central 241. Extensions for Freight and Passenger Departments.

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SWATOW, HONGKONG AND CANTON.—The Str. HSINWAH, Captain Maxwell, will leave on Sunday morning, December 17. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

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The C.M. s.s. Kiangshun left Hankow on Wednesday and is due in Shanghai this morning.

The I-C. s.s. Suiwo left Hankow on Wednesday and is due in Shanghai this morning.

The C.N. s.s. Tatung left Hankow on Thursday and is due in Shanghai this morning.

The I-C. s.s. Loongwo left Hankow on hursday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow morning.

The C.N. s.s. Woosung left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Monday.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangan will leave Hankow today and is due in Shanghai on Tuesday.

The C.N. s.s. Poyang will leave Hankow tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Wednesday.

The I-C. s.s. Luenho will leave Hankow tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Wednesday.

The I-C. s.s Yatshing is due in Shanghai from Pukow on Wednesday.

SOUTHERN PORTS

The C.N. s.s. Yingchow left Hongkong on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai today.

The C.N. s.s. Suiyang left Hongkong on Thursday and is due in Shanghai on Monday.

The C.M. s.s. Irene left Amoy for Shanghai on Tuesday night.

The I-C. s.s. Hopsang is due in Shanghai from Canton, Hongkong and Swatow on Monday.

The C.N. s.s. Sunning will leave Hongkong today and is due in Shanghai on Wednesday.

The C. N. s.s. Luchow will leave Hongkong tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Thursday.

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The C. M. s.s. Kungping left Swatow, on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai today.

NORTHERN PORTS

The C.N. s.s. Kanchow left Tsingtao yesterday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The I-C. s.s. Fausang is due in Shanghai from Tientsin, Chefoo and Weihaiwei tomorrow.

The I-C. s.s. Taksang is due in Shanghai from Tientsin on Monday.

The I-C. s.s. Taisang is due in Shanghai from Tsingtao on Monday morning.

The I-C. s.s. Kingsing is due in Shanghai from Tientsin, Chefoo and Weihaiwei on Monday.

The D.K.K. s.s. Chohei Maru is due in Shanghai from Dairen and Tsingtao today and will dock at the Whangpoo Wharf. The vessel is to sail for Tsingtao and Dairen at 9 o'clock Monday morning.

The I-C. s.s. Waishing is due in Shanghai from Dairen on Wednesday.

The C. M. s.s. Hsinfung left Chefoo on Wednesday night and is due in Shanghai today.

The C. M. s.s. Yushun will leave Tientsin for Dairen and Shanghai today.

The K. M. A. s.s. Kaiping left Chinwangtao for Shanghai on Thursday.

JAPAN PORTS

The N. Y. K. s.s. Hakuai Maru left Moji for Shanghai yesterday and is to dock at the N. Y. K. Wharf tomorrow.

INDIAN LINES

The B.I. s.s. Tanda, from Calcutta on November 29, is expected to leave Hongkong for Amoy and Shanghai on December 22.

The B.I. s.s. Gregory Apcar left Calcutta on Tuesday, December 12, and is due to arrive in Shanghai via Rangoon, Colombo, Singapore and Hongkong on Jan. 7.

The P. & O. s.s. Sicilia will leave Shanghai for Hongkong, Singapore, Colombo and Bombay next Tuesday and the tender with outgoing passengers will leave the Customs jetty at 9:30 o'clock in the morning.

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The S.E. s.s. Nippon left Gothenburg on November 7 and is due to arrive in Shanghai about December 23.

The Ben Line s.s. Bendoran, from London, left Singapore on November 29 and is expected to arrive in Shanghai about Wednesday.

The Ben Line s.s. Benlomond, from London on October 28, is expected to arrive in Shanghai about December 26.

The P. & O. s.s. Sardinia, from London on November 9 with mail, was expected to leave Singapore on Thursday and is due in Shanghai via Hongkong about Dec. 24.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Neleus left Kobe for Yokohama and Shanghai on Tuesday.

The M.M. s.s. Angkor left Marseilles yesterday and is due to arrive in Shanghai on January 23.

The Glen Line s.s. Glensanda is due to arrive in Shanghai from London about January 4.

The Glen Line s.s. Raunorshire is due to arrive in Shanghai from London on January 20.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Kitano Maru arrived in Shanghai from Japan ports on Thursday and will sail for European ports at noon today. The tender with outgoing passengers will leave the Customs jetty at 10:30 o'clock this morning.

The P. & O. s.s. Nellore, from London on November 23, is expected to leave Colombo for Singapore, Hongkong and Shanghai next Monday afternoon.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Calchas is due in Shanghai from Yokohama and Kutchinotzu this morning.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Meriones left Nanking at 6.30 o'clock yesterday morning and is due in Shanghai today.

The M. M. s.s. Amboise, with the French mail of November 24, will arrive at Saigon next Thursday and is expected in Shanghai on January 2.

The s.s. Andre Lebon arrived in Shanghai from Marseilles yesterday and is docked at the S. M. R. Whangpoo Wharf. The vessel will sail for Kobe and Yokohama at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

The P. and O. s.s. Kashgar left Yokohama yesterday and is due in Shanghai next Wednesday. The vessel will sail for London and ports next Saturday, December 23.

AMERICAN LINES

The China Mail s.s. Nanking left San Francisco on Thursday November 30, and is due in Shanghai via Honolulu and Japan ports on December 25.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Grant left Seattle on Saturday, December 9, and arrives in Shanghai via Yokohama and Kobe on December 26.

The P.M. s.s. President Cleveland left San Francisco yesterday and is due in Shanghai via Honolulu, Yokohama and Kobe on January 3.

The C.P.S. s.s. Empress of Canada left Vancouver on Thursday and is due in Shanghai via Yokohama and Kobe on Dec. 30.

The O.S.K. s.s. Hamburg Maru, from Singapore, left Hongkong on Tuesdy and is due in Shanghai today. The vessel is to sail for New York via Panama tomorrow afternoon.

The Dollar s.s. Esther Dollar is expected to leave New York for the Orient next Wednesday.

The C.P.S. s.s. Empress of Asia is due at Woosung from Vancouver and Japan ports at 9 o'clock tonight and sails for Manila and Hongkong at 3 p.m. tomorrow. The tender with incoming passengers is expected at the Customs jetty about 9:30 o'clock tomorrow morning, and the tender Alexadnra with outgoing passengers and hand baggage will leave at 5 o'clock in the afternoon. Heavy baggage should be delivered to the firms godown before noon today.

The Dollar s.s. Robert Dollar left New York for Oriental ports on November 29.

The Dollar s.s. Harold Dollar left Vancouver for Oriental ports on December 6.

The Dollar s.s. Stuart Dollar was expected to leave Seattle for the Orient on Thursday.

The P.M. s.s. President Jefferson, from Seattle on November 29, left Kobe on Thursday and is to dock at the China Merchants' Lower Wharf about noon today. The vessel is bringing 2,443 bags of mail and 1,000 tons of cargo for this port, and will sail for Hongkong and Manila at 8 o'clock tomorrow morning.

The T. K. K. s.s. Korea Maru which sailed from San Francisco on November 25, left Yokohama on Thursday and is due to arrive at Woosung next Wednesday. The vessel will sail for Manila and Hongkong that evening.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. Wheatland Montana arrived at Amoy from Foochow on Wednesday.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. Hanley arrived at Yokohama from Vancouver on Tuesday.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. Cokesit left Manila for Hongkong on Wednesday.

The P.M. s.s. President Lincoln is due at Yokohama from San Francisco and Honolulu tomorrow morning and is expected to arrive in Shanghai on Thursday, December 21.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Jackson is due in Shanghai from Hongkong this morning and will dock at the China Merchants' Central Wharf about noon. The liner will sail at 8:30 o'clock tomorrow morning and is due in Seattle via Kobe and Yokohama on January 2.

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Hakuai Maru .....Dec. 20 — Yawata Maru .....Dec. 28
Omi Maru ..... Dec. 22 — Chikugo Maru .....Dec. 29
Kumano Maru .....Dec. 23

FOR HONGKONG DIRECT

Yokohama Maru ...Jan. 3

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FOR EUROPE. For London, Hamburg, Rotterdam and Antwerp
S.S. "ATLAS MARU" ..... Jan. 4
FOR NEW YORK. Via Japan Ports, San Francisco and Panama
S.S. "HAMBURG MARU" ..... Dec. 17
FOR TACOMA & SEATTLE. Via Dairen, Japan Ports, Victoria, & Vancouver.
S.S. "ALABAMA MARU" ..... Dec. 26
FOR HONGKONG DIRECT
S.S. "ARABIA MARU" ..... Dec. 20
FOR NORTH CHINA PORTS. Tsingtau and Dairen
S.S. "KOREA MARU" ..... Dec. 27
FOR FORMOSA. For Keelung and Takao via Foochow.
S.S. "SEIKYO MARU" ..... Dec. 23
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Information For Mariners

SATURDAY, DEC. 16, 1922

(The day tides are higher than the night tides, they are nearly equal at about 4 and 5 o'clock).
Approximate rise, at spring 4¼ h; at neaps, 5 h.
fall, at spring 8¼ h; at neaps, 7½ h.

Time	Range	Time	Range
10h. 26m.	7ft. 6in.	10h. 50m.	6ft. 2in.

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(The day tides are higher than the night tides).
Approximate rise, 5½ h; approximate fall, 7 h.

A.M.		P.M.	
H.	M.	H.	M.
9	4	9	35

Time of Moonrise, Moonset, Sunrise, Sunset

Moon		Sun		Daylight	Dark
Rises	Sets	Rises	Sets		
4.7 a.m.	3.18 p.m.	6h. 53m.	4h. 58m.	6h. 8m.	5h. 43m.

Mean Barometric Pressure at Shanghai,
For December 30.28 in.
769.0 mm.

Passengers Arrived

Per C.N. s.s. Hsi Peking from Ningpo: Messrs. C. H. Lavers, G. T. Finch, F. Tappenden, Dr. Grant, Mr. and Mrs. A. Bookless, Miss R. Stewart.

Per C.N. s.s. Szechuen from Tsingtao: Messrs. A. Roach, H. Ballus, L. Monpmow, A. A. Canivay, Edna William, R. M. Kedd, A. Bidley, Wallden (2).

Per I.-C. s.s. Tuckwo from Hankow: Rev. S. Gulick, Mrs. Grosvenor, Mrs. Jowett, Mrs. M. Fewkes, Mr. Thos. Day, one Naval Rating.

Per C.M. s.s. Tungwah from Tientsin: Mr. N. Klozfer.

Per M.M. s.s. Andre Lebon from Marseilles: Mr. and Mrs. Li Hiang Hieng, Mrs. Paturel and two children, Picrad Destilan and five children, Mrs. and Miss Malcopsos, Mr. and Mrs. Lafensar and two children, Miss Griffin, Miss Calomon Lea, Messrs. Keinindiger, Roudon, Blange, Loup, Raqul de Serger, Michadd, Mr. & Mrs. Sarrade, Mr. and Mrs. Mayol, Mr. and Mrs. Labenski and two children, Misses Viany, B. Villiger, Mrs. Tesel, Mrs. Sellis Maufras, Soeurs Van Laabhower, Versteden, Petronille Verhaar, R. F.'s Michelsen, Schilders, Van Eygen, Tibergheim, Jamar, Prevost, Dimitriade, Roozen, Selinka, Bordes Nilarion, Lermans Joseph, Mercjii Joseph, Nyuts Joseph, Van Boruhet, Mrs. Ou Tsing, Mr. and Mrs. Donnard and child Messrs. K. Y. Tsing Tchauang, Isnard, Marc. Chen, King Li-pin: from Colombo: Mr. and Mrs. Wilkinson, Mr. F. Wilkinson, Mr. Sallar; from Saigon: Messrs. Hecley, N. du Triel, B. Nops, Bryan Bates, Lem, Benhemec, Mr. and Mrs. Pairault and two children; from Hongkong: Messrs. D. R. Conning, G. O. Dunkan, Leug Pouy Li, Fok Yink, Mr. and Mrs. Tan Ching-po.

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Future Sailings for	Steamship	Sailing about
Marseilles, London, Antwerp—via Hongkong, Straits, Ceylon and Egypt. *Also calls at Bombay.	*KASHGAR PLASSY SARDINIA NELLORE	Dec. 23 Jan. 6 Jan. 20 Feb. 3
Bombay—via Hongkong, Straits and Colombo.	SICILIA KASHGAR	Dec. 19 Dec. 23
Calcutta—via Kobe.	TANDA	Dec. 25
Calcutta—from Hongkong via Singapore and Penang.	TORILLA TANDA	Dec. 16 Jan. 10
Sydney and Melbourne—from Hongkong.	AMAFURA ST. ALBANS EASTERN	Jan. 3 Jan. 31 March 3

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Mail Steamers	Next sailing from Marseilles	Probable arrival at Shanghai	Probable sailing from Shanghai
ANDRE LEBON	10th November	15th December	5th January
AMBOISE	24th November	2nd January	20th January
CORDILLERE	1st December	9th January	3rd February
ANGKOR	15th December	23rd January	17th February
ANGERS	29th December	6th February	3rd March
AZAY LE RIDEAU	12th Jan.	20th February	17th March

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TO THE UNITED STATES

DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
Dec. 16	9 p.m.	P. Jackson	Seattle	Jan. 2
Dec. 21	1.30 p.m.	Tenyo Maru	S. Francisco	Jan. 15
Dec. 25	———	E. of Australia	Vancouver	Jan. 11

TO STRAITS, INDIA & EUROPE VIA SUEZ

DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
Dec. 19	7.30 a.m.	Sicilia	via Bombay	
Dec. 23	———	Kashgar	London	Feb. 5

TO NORTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
V'tok and Siberia	Today	5 p.m.	via P'kow & H'bin
W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Today	9 p.m.	Shuntien
Chefoo	Today	9 p.m.	Tungwah
Tientsin	Dec. 17	8.30 a.m.	Hanyang
Tsingtao and Dalny	Dec. 17	4 p.m.	Chohei Maru
W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Dec. 19	1.30 p.m.	Fengtien
Chefoo and Tientsin	Dec. 21	10.30 a.m.	Chengtu

TO SOUTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
S'tow, H'kong, C'ton	Today	7.30 a.m.	Szechuen
S'tow, H'kong, C'ton	Today	9 p.m.	Loksang
Hongkong & Canton	Today	5 p.m.	P. Jefferson
S'tow, H'kong, C'ton	Today	9 p.m.	Hsinwah
Hongkong & Canton	Today	8 a.m.	Kitano Maru
Amoy	Dec. 17	8.30 a.m.	Pakhoi
Hongkong & Canton	Dec. 17	8.30 a.m.	Kansu
Foochow	Dec. 18	6.30 p.m.	Ningshin
Hongkong & Canton	Dec. 19	9.30 a.m.	Kashing
S'tow, H'kong, C'ton	Dec. 19	9 p.m.	Taisang
S'tow, H'kong, C'ton	Dec. 20	10.30 a.m.	Kweilin
Amoy, H'kong, C'ton	Dec. 21	10.30 a.m.	Suiyang

MISCELLANOUS PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
River ports	Today	9 p.m.	via Train
Japan ports	Today	7 p.m.	Yamashiro M
Manila via H'kong	Today	5 p.m.	P. Jefferson
Manila	Dec. 17	4 p.m.	E. of Asia
Japan ports	Dec. 18	7 p.m.	Takeshima M.
Japan ports	Dec. 19	7 p.m.	Hakuai Maru
Manila	Dec. 20	1.30 p.m.	Korea Maru
Manila via Hongkong	Dec. 20	10 a.m.	P. Lincoln
Australia & N. Zealand	Dec. 21	10.30 a.m.	Suiyang

Vessels Due

Calchas, *Yokohama* .....Dec. 16
Chohei Maru, *Dairen* .....Dec. 16
E. of Asia, *Vancouver* ....Dec. 17
Fausang, *Tientsin* .. ..Dec. 17
Hamburg Maru, *Singapore* Dec. 16
Hakuai Maru, *Japan* .....Dec. 17
Hangsang, *Hongkong* ...Dec. 20
Hopsang, *Hongkong* .....Dec. 18
Hsinfung, *Tientsin* .. ....Dec. 16
Hsin Ningshao, *Ningpo* .. Dec. 17
Hsin Peking, *Ningpo* .....Dec. 17
Kaiping, *Chinwangtao* .. Dec. 16
Kashgar, *Japan* ....Dec. 20
Kanchow, *Tsingtao* .....Dec. 17
Kiangan, *Hankow* .....Dec. 19
Kiangfoo, *Hankow* .....Dec. 22
Kianghsin, *Hankow* .....Dec. 23
Kiangshun, *Hankow* .....Dec. 16
Kiangyu, *Hankow* .... ..Dec. 21
Kiangteen, *Ningpo* .....Dec. 16
Kingsing, *Tientsin* .... ..Dec. 18
Korea Maru, *S. Francisco* .Dec. 20
Kumano Maru, *Japan* .....Dec. 20
Kutwo, *Hankow* ..... Dec. 23
Kungping, *Swatow* .....Dec. 16
Kwanglee, *Hongkong* .....Dec. 17
Kungwo, *Hankow* ....Dec. 21
Liangchow, *Hongkong* .. Dec. 23
Loksang, *Tsingtao* .....Dec. 18
Loongwo, *Hankow* .....Dec. 17
Luchow, *Hongkong* .. ...Dec. 21
Lucnho, *Hankow* .. .. ..Dec. 20
Luenyi, *Hankow* .....Dec. 21
Meriones, *Nanking* .....Dec. 16
Ngankin, *Hankow* .. ....Dec. 23
Omi Maru, *Japan* .....Dec. 19
Pausang, *Tientsin* .. ..Dec. 1
Poyang, *Hankow* .....Dec. 20
Pres. Lincoln, *S. Francisco* Dec. 21
Pres. Jackson, *Hongkong* ..Dec. 16
Pres. Jefferson, *Seattle* ...Dec. 16
Roman, *Hangow* .. .. ..Dec. 22
Saikio Maru, *Dairen* .. ..Dec. 19
Sakaki Maru, *Dairen* .....Dec. 2
Sinkiang, *Tsingtao* .. ..Dec. 2
Shidzuoka Maru, *Hongkong* Dec. 22
Suiwo, *Hankow* .....Dec. 16
Suiyang, *Hongkong* .. ...Dec. 18
Sunning, *Hongkong* .....Dec. 20
Taisang, *Tsingtao* .....Dec. 1
Taksang, *Tientsin* .... ..Dec. 18
Takeshima Maru, *Japan* Dec. 21
Tamba Maru, *Hongkong* ..Dec. 19
Tenyo Maru, *Hongkong* ....Dec. 21
Tatung, *Hankow* .....Dec. 16
Waishing, *Dairen* .....Dec. 20
Woosung, *Hankow* .....Dec. 18
Wuchang, *Hankow* .....Dec. 22
Yatshing, *Pukow* .....Dec. 20
Yingchow, *Hongkong* .....Dec. 16
Yungshin, *Ningpo* .....Dec. 16
Yushun, *Tientsin* .....Dec. 20

Steamers Arrived

Dec. 15—H. N'shao from Ningpo
Dec. 15—H. Peking from Ningpo
Dec. 15—Toonan from Dairen
Dec. 15—Shinyue from Vladivostok
Dec. 15—Szechuen from Tsingtao
Dec. 15—Fukuyei M. from Dairen
Dec. 15—Yamashiro M. from Jap.
Dec. 15—Andre Lebon from Mars.
Dec. 15—Miyo M. from Japan
Dec. 15—Loksang from Tsingtao
Dec. 15—Pingwo from Hankow
Dec. 15—Changon from Hankow
Dec. 15—Kiangyung from Hankow
Dec. 15—Whangpu from Hankow
Dec. 15—Nanyang M. from H'kow
Dec. 15—Kansu from Hongkong

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Steamers Departed

Dec. 15—Kutwo for Hankow
Dec. 15—Ngankin for Hankow
Dec. 15—Kianghsin for Hankow
Dec. 15—Siangyang M. for Hankow
Dec. 15—Kaho for Dairen
Dec. 15—Hsinchi for Foochow
Dec. 15—Toyo M. 3 for Japan
Dec. 15—Unkai M. for .....
Dec. 15—Toyora M. for Wuhu
Dec. 15—Com. Mages for Mars.
Dec. 15—Taisho M. for Wuhu
Dec. 15-Aizawa M. 18 for N. C'toms
Dec. 15—Tachung for N. C'toms
Dec. 15—Haru M. for C'tao
Dec. 15—Tingsang for S. H. C'ton
Dec. 15—Tosei M. for Tsingtao
Dec. 15—H. Peking for Ningpo
Dec. 15—H. N'shao for Ningpo

Passengers Departed

Per I-C. s.s. Tuckwo for Kiukiang: Mrs. Sharples and two children, Miss Sharples; for Hankow: Mr. and Mrs. W. Wehrhane, Miss Grierson, Mr. and Mrs. Cox, Mr. R. Van Cutsem.

Future Sailings

FOR AMERICA AND CANADA

Dec. 17	—	New York via Suez	Hamburg Maru	Jan.	O.S.K.
Dec. 17	8.30*	Seattle	†P. Jackson	Am.	Adl. O. Line
Dec. 19	—	New York via Suez	Calchas	Br.	B. & S.
Dec. 20	—	New York	Cokesit	Am.	Adl. O. Line
Dec. 21	—	San Francisco	†Tenyo Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Dec. 24	—	Seattle	Shidzuoka M.	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Dec. 25	—	Vancouver	†E. of Australi	Br.	C.P.S.S.
Dec. 26	—	Seattle, etc.	Alabama Maru	Jap.	O.S.K.
Dec. 28	—	New York via P'ma	Jadden	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.
Dec. 30	—	New York via Suez	C. of Pittsburg	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Dec. 31	—	Seattle	†P. Jefferson	Am.	Adl. O. Line
Jan. 2	—	San Francisco	†P. Lincoln	Br.	M.M. & Co.
Jan. 4	—	Hamburg, etc.	Atlas Maru	Jap.	O.S.K.
Jan. 7	—	New York via P'ma	Durban Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Jan. 7	—	San Francisco	†Korea Maru	Jap.	T. K. K.
Jan. 8	—	San Francisco	†Nanking	Am.	China Mail
Jan. 13	—	Seattle	†P. Grant	Am.	Adl. O. Line
Jan. 15	—	New York via Suez	C. of Glasgow	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Jan. 18	—	San Francisco	†Shinyo Maru	Jap.	N. K. K.
Jan. 20	—	San Francisco	†P. Cleveland	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.
Jan. 20	—	Singapore, etc.	Bearport	Am.	S. & B.
Jan. 25	—	Seattle	P. Madison	Am.	Adl. O. Line
Jan. 26	—	New York via P'ma	Dryden	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.
Jan. 27	—	Vancouver	†E. of Asia	Br.	C.P.S.
Feb. 3	—	San Francisco	†P. Pierce	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.
Feb. 6	—	Seattle	†P. McKinley	Am.	Adl. O. Line
Feb. 11	—	San Francisco	†China	Am.	China Mail
Feb. 17	—	San Francisco	†P. Wilson	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.

FOR JAPAN PORTS

Dec. 16	—	Moji, Kobe, Osakka	Nikko M.	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Dec. 17	—	N'saki, K. Y. Y'ma	Yamashiro M.	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Dec. 17	10.00*	Kobe, Yokohama	Andre Lebon	Fr.	M.M. Cie.
Dec. 19	—	Kobe	Tamba Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Dec. 20	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Hakuai Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Dec. 22	—	N'saki, N'ya, Y'ma	Omi Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Dec. 23	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Kumano Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Dec. 24	—	N'saki, K. Y'hama	Takeshima M.	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Dec. 25	—	Kobe	Katori Maru	Jan.	N. Y. K.
Dec. 28	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Yawata Maru	Jan.	N. Y. K.

FOR EUROPE, INDIA, STRAITS, ETC.

Dec. 16	10.30*	London	Kitano Maru	Jan.	N. Y. K.
Dev. 17	—	Liverpool	Meriones	Br.	B. & S.
Dec. 19	9.30*	Bombay	†Sicilia	Br	M. M. & Co
Dec. 19	—	Antwerp	Mentor	Br.	B. & S.
Dec. 19	—	Liverpool	Oanfa	Br.	B. & S.
Dec. 23	—	London	†Kashgar	Br.	M. M. & Co
Dec. 24	—	Antwerp, etc.	Neleus	Br.	B. & S.
Dec. 25	—	Singapore, etc.	Stuart Dollar	Br.	Dollar Co.
Dec. 25	—	Calcutta	Tanda	Br.	M.M. & Co.
Dec. 26	—	Hamburg, etc.	Glaucus	Br.	B. & S.
Dec. 30	—	London, etc.	Haruna Maru	Jan.	N. Y. K.
Dec. 31	—	Singopore, etc.	West Ivan	Am.	S. & B.
Jan. 3	—	Hamburg, etc.	Eumaeus	Br.	B. & S.
Jan. 4	—	Rotterdam, etc.	Oldekerk	Dut.	H.C.T. Co.
Jan. 4	—	Hamburg, etc.	Glenlffer	Br.	G.L.E.A.
Jan. 5	—	Marseilles	†Andre Lebon	Fr.	M. M. Cie
Jan. 6	—	London	†Plassy	Br.	M. M. & Co
Jan. 6	—	Hamburg	Schlesien	Ger.	Mel. & Co.
Jan. 10	—	Kobe, Yokohama	Theseus	Br.	B. & S.
Jan. 12	—	Hamburg, etc.	Mito Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Jan. 14	—	Hamburg, etc.	Carnarvonshire	Br.	G.L.E.A.
Jan. 15	—	Liverpool, etc.	Keemun	Br.	B. & S.
Jan. 17	—	Hamburg	Elpenor	Br.	B. & S.
Jan. 17	—	Singapore, etc.	Stuart Dollar	Br.	Dollar Co.
Jan. 20	—	Marseilles	†Amboise	Fr.	M. M. Cie
Jan. 20	—	London	†Sardinia	Br.	M.M. & Co.
Jan. 24	—	Hamburg, etc.	Diomed	Br.	B. & S.
Jan. 27	—	Liverpool, etc.	Cyclops	Br.	B. & S.
Feb. 3	—	Marseilles	‡Cordillere	Fr.	M. M. Cie
Feb. 3	—	London	†Nellore	Br.	M.M. & Co.
Feb. 3	—	Hamburg,	Weser	Ger.	Mel. & Co.
Feb. 7	—	Antwerp, ect.	Teiresias	Br.	B. & S.
Feb. 8	—	London, etc.	Rhesus	Br.	B. & S.
Feb. 14	—	Hamburg, etc.	Troilus	Br.	B. & S.
Feb. 15	—	Liverpool, etc.	Titan	Br.	B. & S.
Feb. 17	—	Marseilles	‡Angkor	Fr.	M. M. Cie
Feb. 25	—	Liverpool, e c.	Peleus	Br.	B. & S.

FOR SOUTHERN PORTS

Dec. 16	5.30	Ningpo	Yungshin	Chi.	N.S.S.N. Co.
Dec. 16	5.30	Ningpo	Kiangteen	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Dec. 16	9.00*	S. H'kong, C'ton	Szechuen	Br.	B. & S.
Dec. 17	D.L.	S. H'kong, C'ton	Loksang	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Dec. 17	—	S. H'kong, C'ton	Hsinwah	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Dec. 17	10.00*	Amoy	Pakhoi	Br.	B. & S.
Dec. 17	5.00	Manila, Hongkong	E. of Asia	Br.	C.P.S.
Dec. 17	10.00*	Hongkong, Canton	Kansu	Br.	B. & S.
Dec. 17	8.00*	Hongkong	P. Jefferson	Am.	Adl. O. Line
Dec. 18	9.00*	Foochow	Ningshin	Chi.	S.P.S.N. Co.
Dec. 18	5.00	Ningpo	Hsin Peking	Br.	B. & S.
Dec. 18	5.30	Ningpo	I'sin Ningshao	Chi.	N.S.S.N. Co
Dec. 19	11.00*	Hongkon, Canton	Kashing	Br.	B. & S.
Dec. 20	noon	S. H'kong, C'ton	Kweilin	Br.	B. & S.
Dec. 20	D.L.	S. H'kong, C'ton	Fausang	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Dec. 20	—	Hongkong	Araabia Maru	Jap.	O.S.K.
Dec. 20	—	Manila, Hongkong	Korea Maru	Jap.	T. K. K.
Dec. 20	—	Keelung, etc.	Seikyo Maru	Jan.	O.S.K.
Dec. 21	noon	A. H'kong, C'ton	Suiyang	Br.	B. & S.
Dec. 22	—	Hongkong, Manila	P. Lincoln	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.
Dec. 26	—	Hongkong	Nanking	Am.	China Mail
Dec. 28	—	Hongkong, Manila	P. Grant	Am.	Adl. O. Line
Dec. 30	—	Hongkong	E. of Canada	Br.	C.P.S.
Jan. 3	—	Hongkong	Yokohama M.	Jan.	N. Y. K.
Jan. 4	—	Hongkong, Manila	P. Cleveland	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co
Jan. 9	—	Hongkong, Manila	P. Madison	Am.	Adl. O. Line
Jan. 13	—	Manila, Hongkong	E. of Russia	Br.	C.P.S.
Jan. 15	—	Hongkong	Siberia Maru	Jap.	T. K. K.

FOR NORTHERN PORTS

Dec. 16	10.00*	Vladivostok	Mylle	Br.	L.V. Lang
Dec. 16	10.00*	Tsingtao	Sinkiang	Br.	B. & S.
Dec. 16	D.L.	Tsingtao	Fooshing	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Dec. 17	10.00*	Tientsin, Dairen	Hanyang	Br.	B & S
Dec. 17	D.L.	W. C'foo, T'tsin	Shuntien	Br.	B. & S.
Dec. 17	—	Chefoo	Tungwah	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Dec. 18	9.00*	Tsingtao, Dairen	Chohei Maru	Jap.	D.K.K.
Dec. 19	11.00*	Tsingtao	Yingchow	Br.	B & S
Dec. 19	3.00	W. C'foo, T'tsin	Fengtien	Br.	B & S
Dec. 19	11.00*	Dairen	Foochow	Br.	B & S
Dec. 19	—	Chinwangtao	Kaiping	Br.	K M. A.
Dec. 20	D.L.	Tsingtao	Hopsang	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Dec. 20	noon	W. C'foo, T'tsin	Kingsing	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Dec. 21	noon	Tsingtao, Dairen	Saikio Maru	Jap.	D.K.K.
Dec. 21	noon	Chefoo, Tientsin	Chengtu	Br.	B & S
Dec. 23	—	Tsingtao, Dairen	Unnan Maru	Jap.	O.S.K.
Dec. 28	—	Vladivostok	Lorestan	Br.	L. V. Lang

FOR RIVER PORTS

Dec. 16	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Pingwo	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Dec. 16	M.N.	Hankow. etc.	Whangpu	Br.	B. & S.
Dec. 17	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangshun	Chi	C.M.S.N. Co.
Dec. 18	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangyung	Chi	C.M.S.N. Co.
Dec. 18	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Suiwo	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Dec. 18	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Tatung	Br.	B. & S.
Dec. 19	11.00*	Pukow	Tientsin	Br.	B. & S.
Dec. 19	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Loongwo	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Dec. 19	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Changsha	Br.	B. & S.
Dec. 20	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Woosung	Br.	B. & S.
Dec. 20	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangteen	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Dec. 21	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangan	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Dec. 21	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Luenho	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Dec. 21	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Poyang	Br.	B & S
Dec. 21	D.L.	Pukow	Taksang	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Dec. 22	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangyu	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Dec. 22	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kungwo	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Dec. 22	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Luenyi	Br.	B. & S.
Dec. 23	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Wuchang	Br.	B. & S.

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Comprising:—
HALL:—Blue & White Tientsin Carpet, Old Chinese Redwood Arm Chairs, Square and Long Tables, Stools and Jardiniere Stands, Tapestry Covered Double Spring Chesterfield Couch, Teakwood Curio Stand, Japanese Silk Embroidered Pictures, Old Chinese Porcelain, Bronze and Brass Vases and Ornaments, etc.
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3 BED AND BATH ROOMS:—Grey Tientsin Carpets, Japanese Matting, Mahogany Stained Teakwood Book Case, Large White Painted Linen Cupboard, Double Spring Easy Chairs, Sofa, and Arm Chairs, Silk Curtains, Lace Window Blinds, Single and Double Cream Painted Redwood Suites with Mirrors, Single and Double Cream Painted Carved Wood Bedsteads with Bedding, Nickel Bath Room Fittings, etc.
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1 Canteen for 12 persons in Mahogany Case and Stand, Imported from Mappin and Webb.
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Weekly Review Of Shanghai Markets

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daily, Shensi 500 to 600 bales weekly, Hankow 4,000 to 5,000 piculs a week, and Shanghai district about 3,000 to 4,000 piculs.

The market is strong as shorts have been covering. The local mills have been making purchases as they consider prices too high. Very little business was done in the cotton market this week. Rates are not expected to go down owing to the strength of the American and Indian markets.

Japan has not bought largely this week. It is stated that they are operating at Hankow and Tientsin.

Quotations are: Tungchow Tls. 35 for spot and Tls. 34 forward, Shensi Tls. 34.50 for spot, Hankow Tls. 31.50, and Shanghai cotton Tls. 32 per picul.

CHINA PRODUCTS

There has been more inquiry for China products and a large trade was brought to book. There is still a disparity between the rates ruling in the Shanghai market and these that buyers abroad are prepared to offer.

Stocks of rapeseed are almost exhausted as a result of which the quotation shows a marked advance, the present rate being Tls. 5.30 per picul ex-godown. This must be considered as nominal for no trade has transpired. There is a continued demand from Japan, but supplies are practically nil on the Shanghai market. Although the rate the Japanese buyers are offering is some five percent less than that prevailing here, being about yen 8.50, business is very likely if supplies can be assured.

Arrivals of sesamum seeds continue scarce, the daily arrivals here not amounting to more than two or three casks, or 60 to 90 tons. Business during the week has been on a small scale, the quotation being about Tls. 7 per picul. The European quotation is £21 per ton. The quotation on the Shanghai produce exchange works out to more than £22 per ton, a difference of a pound sterling per ton. Under the circumstances no business can be done.

There has been some inquiry from Europe for unshelled peanuts, the consumers there offering about £20 per ton, while the Shanghai rate is £21.15 per ton. Unshelled peanuts are quoted at Tls. 6 per picul, and shelled at Tls. 8.60 per picul. There is no business doing in these commodities for export to Europe or the United States, but South China has been buying small quantities this week.

Alomst all the oilseeds marketed in Shanghai are very firm, and quotations are advancing. On the other hand, the market in Europe is stagnant and rather weak, and not following the rise in Shanghai.

The market for soya beans is firm, the local quotation being Tls. 3.70 per picul. Shanghai oil mills are buying at this rate as there is a demand for the cakes. A fair trade was done this week in the commodity. Stocks are not heavy, but arrivals are expected to increase. During the next fortnight some 10,000 tons of beans will be consigned to Shanghai from Dairen. There has been a great deal of speculation in Shanghai in soya beans and the major portion of the coming arrivals are on speculative contracts.

There is nothing doing in peanut oil, the quotation hovering round Tls. 13 per picul. No business can be done with Europe as the rate there is 34 per cwt, which works out at about 20 percent lower than the Shanghai price. Canton is still making purchases of peanut oil, and a fair business was done this week for shipment to that part.

Stocks of the principal marketable products are not large in Shanghai. Estimates of the stocks of sesamum seeds place it at about 200 to 300 tons, that of peanuts at about the same figure.

There is a fair trade percolating in cakes and powder. Japan has been buying rapeseed cakes with straw at Tls. 2.30 per picul and that without straw at Tls. 2.55 per picul. A larger business could be done if the Chinese reduce their selling rate, there being a difference of some 10 cents per picul between the seller's and buyer's rates.

The same remarks applies to cottonseed cakes, for which there is a demand from Japan, but the prevailing quotation is somewhat higher than what the buyers there wish to pay. The local quotation is Tls. 2.35 per picul without bags. During the week there was no fresh transaction in this line.

Stocks of groundnut cakes are small but Canton bought a fair quantity at Tls. 3.20 per picul.

Stocks of cottonseed cakes in Shanghai are estimated at about 20,000 bags but there are no stocks of rapeseed cakes. Supplies are nevertheless dribbling in small quantities from the interior. As these arrive on the local market they are shipped to Japan against contracts entered into previously.

A small trade is passing in been cakes between Chinese. There has been some exportation to Swatow at the price of Tls. 1,365 per piece.

Cable reports states that a considerable amount of business has been done on the London Produce Exchange in sesamum seeds, the buyers being North Europe, which bought the stocks of Chinese sesamum seeds at 21s. 3d. per cwt. /December-January shipment.

The Continent also has been buying soya bean oil in large quantities at 37s. December shipment.

There is more inquiry for wood oil, Chinese wood oil on the London market being rated at 63s. December-January shipment against 65s. 6d. of a previous week. This price is for shipment in barrels. Soya oil in bulk realised on the London Produce Exchange 34s. per cwt. December-January shipment. Soya bean oil extracted is quoted at 37s. per cwt.

Handpicked unshelled peanuts are marketed in London at 19s. 6d. per ton cif London, January-February shipment, and the shelled kind at 19s. 6d. cif London, for January-February shipment.

Chinese eggs are at 12s. to 15s. 6d. per 120 according to size, caneled and repacked. The egg product market in England is steady and quiet.

Chinese horsebeans are wanted at 11s. 6d. for December-January shipment against 12s. 3d. the quotation of a few days ago, but supplies are almost unobtainable.

New York rates for Chinese products have suffered very little change in the meantime. Quotations are fairly steady. The following are the latest cabled prices:

Crude Peanut Oil in tanks 14 gold cents per pound.

Crude Cottonseed Oil in tanks 9½ cents gold per pound.

Refined Rapeseed Oil 78 cents gold per gallon.

China Wood Oil 12¼ cents gold per pound against 13 cents a few days ago.

RAW SILK

It has been a very insipid week in the raw silk market of Shanghai. Merchants have been inclined to to look on and do nothing.

Business this week was confined to the smallest possible limits, the transactions being insignificant.

The tussah market is about the same, but it is inclined to be weaker than last week, and likely to drop a little more. The rate is Tls. 850 for the best grade tussah. As long as the supplies are fair in excess of the demand the danger of further drops cannot be eliminated.

The situation is uncertain, but the undertone is quite good. Many merchants expect a revival in the demand shortly after the holidays.

The Japanese market is fairly strong. The Japanese Silk Bourse in Yokohama has taken on a better tone, despite lower prices being reported from New York. Small advances continue to be made, and the Yokohama market appears to be in a good mood. Fair business has matured at present quotations including substantial optional on the Yokohama market and a fair business has been done.

IRON—STEEL

The situation in the iron and steel market of Shanghai is unaltered from last week. There has been very little or nothing at all to record.

There has been practically no demand worth speaking about, from the interior marts, but during the week a fair quantity of galvanised sheets was put through.

Arrivals of supplies are scanty as stocks are considered sufficient for the time being. Five hundred tons of American pig iron arrived last week by the s.s. Steel Mariner for account of the Shanghai importers.

The feeling in the local market is one of pessimism. Iron and steel dealers are resigned to the bad times they are experiencing and no improvement could be sighted until conditions in the country become stable and reassuring. The outlets will not buy under the present harrowing conditions as life and property are not safe.

On the other hand, there is a distinct revival of confidence in the London iron and steel trades, and cabled advices state that a greater part of the current business in construction and steel is being placed with British works. In China that revival of confidence has not dawned.

The position of finished iron and steel both in London and New York does not show much change, though here and there are signs of marked improvement. Competition to secure fresh business is still keen among manufacturers, while the general demand is slow in broadening. The tin market has been subjected to the usual tossing and pulling about that has been such a feature of this section for some weeks past.

METALS

The metals market in Japan has been looking up, and reports from that country during the week speak of a better import business. Zinc scrap and waste is being shipped from Shanghai to Kobe. Ninety-nine percent zinc has been in Japan, and stimulated by this advance in Japan and also that in London market, Japanese importers have started gathering waste zinc in Shanghai and elsewhere, which will be shipped to Japan very soon.

Most metals are on the upgrade in the Japanese market and there are bright spots in the steel mart in Kobe as sales are growing better in some shares, but the Japanese holders and foundries are feeling worried by the report that the Stinnes steel interests in Germany are seeking to dump goods in Japan. These goods are expected to arrive there in February. Due to the low rate of the mark, German steel can be offered at prices considerably lower than the market quotations in Shanghai or Kobe.

IN LONDON

Latest prices for some principal lines are these:

Standard Copper £62½ spot and £63¼ future.

Electrolytic Copper £69 spot and £69½ future.

Spelter £38¼ spot and £35 future.

Lead £26 spot and £25¼ future delivery.

Tin £175½ spot against £180⅜ this week, and £180 for future against £181⅜.

Electrolytic copper is quoted in New York at 14 cents.

ANTHRAX INQUIRY

(Reuter's Service)

London, Dec. 13.—The International Anthrax Committee today passed a resolution in favor of sterilising hides and skins before they are treated industrially.

Christmas Auction

An Evening auction will be held at the Art Rooms of THE JADE TREE, Corner of Nanking and Lloyd Roads, on Friday evening, December 22nd, commencing at five o'clock. The goods to be auctioned are all new goods specially designed for Christmas presents, and are to be auctioned WITHOUT RESERVE.

Many business people find it impossible to do their Christmas shopping and give their personal attention to the choice of the gifts they desire to send. We have, therefore, arranged to have the goods for auction on show each evening as well as during the day, with employees to take bids on articles if one cannot attend the auction in person. In this way ones entire list of gifts may be purchased in a few hours.

There is an especially good assortment of gifts for men, bill books, cigarette cases, ash trays, cigarette and cigar boxes, plain tailored pilows, plain sensible reading lamps, book ends, paper weights, etc.

Besides these there are:

Old Peking Carpets,
Jade pendants, carved pendants of other semiprecious stones,
Cocktail glasses, fishbowls, etc. with stands.
Candlesticks and candles to march
Exquisite pillows,
Chinese unbreakable dolls,
Hanging lampshades and lanterns,
Stand lamps and shades,
blue and white teapots, water jugsand plates,
lustreware teasets,
enamel cigarette boxes,
table lanterns and shades,
baskets, beautifully trimmed: wastepaper baskets, sewing baskets,
baskets for the Christmastree sweets,
footstools,
teacosies,
black and white wicker tables and chairs,
embroidered table covers,
carved blackwood cupboard,
porcelain vases for lamps,
brass candlesticks and candles, specially painted for Christmas,
brass bookends, teapot stands, napkin rings, paper knives, desk sets, inkwells, footrules, hotwaterpots, etc.,
best Peking cloissonne salts and peppers in sets, finger bowls,
painted money banks for children,
painted trays of all kinds and shapes,
dainty dollies and various toys,
houseboat lanterns,
mirrors,
woodprints framed artistically,
Bead girdles with lovely carved jade buckles boads, vanity cases, etc.